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## DEMPSY WINS IN

### SECOND ROUND

At New York on Friday night last, Jack Dempsey, world's heavyweight champion knocked out Luis Angel Firpo, the Argentine challenger, in the second round of a scheduled fifteen round contest. The bout ended 55 seconds after the start of the furious second round, when Dempsey floored Firpo with punches to the body, and when he struggled to his feet, knocked him out with a left hook and right to the chin.

Firpo was floored four times in the opening round, after which he knocked Dempsey completely through the ropes. The latter recovered before the finish of the count and was entering the ring at the sound of the gong.

The bout was witnessed by about 85,000 people. Dempsey drew about \$450,000 and Firpo \$150,000 from the receipts.

### ROBERTS—McCOLM

Announcement is made of the marriage of Mr. C. V. Roberts, of Spokane, Wash., to Miss Sara W. McCole, formerly of the Blairmore teaching staff.

The ceremony took place at Spokane on August 14th.

## THE FREE CARMELO SHOW

Fred Carmelo's Musical Comedy company gave a two-hour show followed by a dance at Coleman on Thursday night last, and a large crowd welcomed the return of this popular organization. The company returns to Coleman tonight, giving a two-hour show. No dance will be given on this occasion, but a dance is announced for next week. The show offered this week by the Carmelo players is reported one of the best presented since the company made its first appearance on the local circuit. The opening bill is a tabloid version of the well known comedy "It Pays to Advertise." This is followed by the feature musical comedy "Hong Kong," in which Fred Carmelo and Jeanne Dixon both appear in black-face comedy. It is the intention of the Carmelo company to again include Blairmore in its route just as soon as arrangements can be made with the local playhouse. In the meantime Blairmore friends who wish to attend the shows at Coleman can purchase tickets at the Palm Cafe, where special arrangements will be made for their taxi transportation to and from Coleman.

## SALE OF HOME COOKING, ETC.

The Ladies' Aid of the Union Church purpose holding a Tea and Sale of home cooking, canned fruit and pickles at the home of Mrs. J. E. Upton on Tuesday afternoon next, September 25th, from 3 to 6 p.m.

Gentlemen are invited between the hours of 5 and 6 p.m. Come and make this a success. Proceeds in aid of the church.

A man named Freeman was captured by the A.P.P. on Monday, believed to have been connected with a shipment of about seven cases of good liquor taken from the tool box of a passenger car on Saturday night's train at Blairmore station. As the party attempted to take the stuff from the train, on the dark side, he was detected by Constable Wilson, who immediately ordered "Halt!" The fellow with the sack immediately dropped same and led a foot race. Leading across the road to the campsite and the river, he was seen last night. Later Freeman was captured at Coleman and was brought before Magistrate Gresham at Blairmore. Monday's case was adjourned to Tuesday and for want of insufficient evidence of identification, Freeman was made a free man on an alibi. He was defended by Mr. L. H. Putnam. His freedom did not last long, however, for he made connection with another shipment of booze at Kipp, where he and his stock of 85 cases were taken in charge by the A.P.P. A man named Nadin, of Fernie, was an associate of Freeman's. Sergt. Duncan, of Blairmore, was largely responsible for the capture.

In connection with the seizure, court was held at 5 o'clock on Wednesday morning. Nadin was fined \$500 and costs for first offence, for being in possession of liquor for sale. Freeman pleaded guilty to a second offence and was fined \$500 and costs.



## MAIL CONTRACT

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon on Friday, the 10th day of October, 1923, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed contract for four years, at times per week on the route BLAIRMORE and RAILWAY STATION (Canadian Pacific Railway), from the Postmaster General's pleasure.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen and blank forms of tender may be obtained at the Post Office of Blairmore and at the office of the Post Office Inspector: POST OFFICE INSPECTOR'S OFFICE, CALGARY, September 17th, 1923.

D. A. BRUCE,  
Post Office Inspector.

## WORLD DROPPED.

### QUAKE FOLLOWED

OSAKA, Sept. 11.—The earthquake shocks which a week ago today wrought such havoc in Japan were not of volcanic origin, but were caused by violent dropping of two portions of the earth's surface, according to an official communique issued here which quotes Dr. Tatsuzo Nakamura, professor of the Imperial Tokyo university and a seismological authority.

## ST. LUKE'S CHURCH

17th Sunday after Trinity. Catechism 10 a.m. Morning Service 11. Holy Communion at 12 noon. Sunday School at 2:30 and Evensong at 7:30 p.m. The preacher at the morning service will be the Venerable Archdeacon H. Graham, D.D., archdeacon of Kootenay and rector of Nelson, B.C.

Some men we know are not satisfied with being treated well—they want to be treated often.

## BELLEVUE RINK A REALITY

As will be noticed elsewhere in these columns, a closed-in rink for Bellevue is soon to become a reality. Tenders are being invited for the erection of a closed-in skating and curling rink, according to plans and specifications.

The new arena will be ready for opening in December. The location is near where last season's open rink stood.

## GOLF

All members of the Ladies' Golf Club are asked to attend the monthly 9-hole competition on Saturday, September 22nd at 2 o'clock. Tea will be served at the club house after the round.

A woman takes religion almost as seriously as a man does politics—but she doesn't swear about it.

When is a doctor most annoyed? When he is out of patients.

## Toilet Articles

We have the largest assortment of Toilet Articles in the district and would be pleased at any time to show them to you. Also a full line of Toilet Creams, Soaps, Etc.

A full line of School Books, Scribblers, Pens, Pencils, Erasers, Ink, Etc., in stock. Send the children here and we will send them away satisfied with their purchases.

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BLAIRMORE,

ALBERTA

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### PICKLING SEASON IS NOW ON—

Let us supply your requirements. We have a nice fresh stock of Mustard and Celery Seed, Turmeric in 1/4-lb packages and loose. Pickling Spice, 1b 40c 1/4 lb packages at 10c.

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Leave us your orders for Green Tomatoes, Pickling Onions and Cucumbers. Green and Red Peppers, per lb ..... 20c  
Fresh Garlic, per lb ..... 40c

### WEALTHY APPLES—

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### NO. 1 POTATOES, per 100 lbs ..\$1.75

Cardston Creamery Butter, carton 45c  
Another shipment of Robin Hood Flour just unloaded.

Crushed and Whole Feed Oats, Shorts, Whole and Cracked Corn, etc., at lowest market prices.

### SPECIALS FOR THE WEEK END—

Crown Olive Soap, 3 for ..... 25c  
Green Coffee, per lb ..... 30c  
Clark's Pork and Beans, 2 tins ..... 25c  
Dessert Pears, 2 lb tins ..... 25c  
Dessert Peaches, 2 lb tins ..... 30c  
Wagstaffe's Strawberry and Raspberry Jam, per tin ..... \$1.00

### ALL KINDS OF AMMUNITION AT LOWEST PRICES—

Also Cartridge Bags, Waders, Gun Cleaners, Lunch Kits, Thermo Bottles, 22 Rifles, 12 gauge single and double barrel Shot Guns from \$17.50 to \$37.50.

We sell Canuck, Super-X and Nitro Club Shells for 12 and 16 gauge guns at lowest prices at our Greenhill Hardware Department.

### HEADQUARTERS FOR DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, SHOES, HOSIERY, ETC. NEW FALL GOODS ARE ARRIVING DAILY—

We have a full stock of Stanfield's Underwear for men. A complete line of Watson's Underwear for women and children. Boys' Underwear in two-piece and combination suits in Penman's Fleece Lined and also in heavy weight pure wool garments.

SWEATERS, TOQUES, WOOL GLOVES, Etc. We have a splendid range of these goods, all pure wool and include the celebrated Ballantyne Brand. Children's smart colored Pure Wool Pullovers from \$1.25 up.

MEN'S CLOTHING We are still offering a Special Line of Suits at \$27.50 net. Agents for Tip-Tip Suits made to measure at \$27.50 net. Men's and Boys' MACKINAWS and OVERCOATS—We feel that we have been fortunate in our buying of these goods. We have better values than ever to offer. Men's All-Wool Mackinaws, leather lined body and sleeves at \$9.50 net.

Men's Work Shirts—Pure wool Flannels, in rich brown, green, blue and khaki, grey and military Flannels, etc. Full line of Work Gloves and Mitts from 50c per pair up to \$4.00.

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## Blairmore Trading Co.

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**CHewing TOBACCO**

**5¢ PER PLUG**

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## OPENING DOORS

— BY —  
ELINOR MARSDEN BELL  
Author of "My Children," and Other Stories  
Published by Special Arrangement with the Author

(Continued)

He is too close to me now for me to describe him as he is, but what he was then is as clear in my mind as it was in that first month when—though he vows I never looked at him—I knew instinctively and finally that Margaret Anne was one person, and that the world contained but one man. Had I been the modest maid of "F.P.'s" bell, I should no doubt have tried to conquer my feelings, but the thing seemed inevitable. B.F. and the boys dropped into a world of shadows, together with their worldly ambitions and a repressed awe that I would never have anything to do with the men I knew only in the business world.

But that does not describe Murray. His transfer papers told me that he was twenty-five, the son of a Presbyterian minister in a little town near Ottawa, that like myself he had married, and then gone into business, that he was five feet, ten and a half inches in height, had grey eyes and light brown hair, and that he had never been suspected of any misappropriation of funds. What his papers did not say was that he was the light-hearted creature living, that he could do more work, with a smile, than anyone else in the office, and that even the faintest and most stupid customer could never irritate him. Every one liked him, but he was not spoiled, and he had the feeling of the great optimistic attitude towards the world. "I do not think that at that time he had ever given a thought to the great problems of life, he simply did the duty that came next, with an instinctive trust that all little tangles would straighten themselves out in the end. That he was immediately popular in the office goes without saying. Just at first I was afraid that he had the trait I most distrust in men—a certain susceptibility where women are concerned—but as I grew to know him better I learned that this was only on the surface. It may seem the greatest simile, but he was exactly like a friendly puppy. Pat him and he would wag his tail. And he never lacked for pets. A sensible person would have said that I was merely jealous, but the feeling went deeper than that. I knew that if I did not marry him there was nothing for me but to become a shining light in the business world. And I wondered if I could love him so hard that he would never miss the others. It was all shockingly primitive—a judgment, on me, doubtless—and I was glad that my own veneer was so thick that I was believed to be either annoyingly indifferent or disappointed because the staff of the new department had been brought from the East, over our heads.

Strangely enough, B.F. took to Murray at once, and was through him that we first met socially—and as Murray put it, had an opportunity to talk to each other without ledger between us.

## Eczema Covered Arms of This Healthy Child

Mrs. Alex. Marshall, Spruce, Ont., writes—

"When my little son was three months old he broke out in sores on his chest and arms. We did all we could to heal those terrible sores, but nothing did him much good. Finally I ventured on a box of Dr. Chase's Ointment and kept using it. At last we were rewarded by the steady healing of the sores, and finally he was completely relieved of them. He is now three years old, and has had no return of the trouble since."

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who kept me sane in that awful first month. Sometimes now when I want to tease him I tell him that he never really asked me to marry him, and he is forced to admit the truth of the accusation. He simply came in as a matter of course and took everything into his own hands, did all that was necessary about Mother's affairs, and when everything was settled, told me that there was nothing to be gained by waiting, and that he wanted to have the right to take care of his own home as I would give it to him. Then it came out that he and Mother had had a long talk, and that what he was doing was in accordance with her wishes. But I could not agree. I felt that I must have time to get a grip on myself. And though my sorrow had brought us closer and closer together, and deepened my need for what he alone could give me, it did not seem fair to him to take him so sad a heart. So we arranged at last that we would be married in September, and I was for a month. I knew that I should never cease to miss Mother, but I hoped by that time I would have covered the pain, so as not to compel others to share it with me.

And in August we broke out. Through the long days of that first week, when all Winnipeg was tense with anxiety, and when man and woman put each other to the test, I could see that Murray was worried. So on Saturday night we had a little battle, and on Sunday told him that he must feel free to go as if he had never known me. It was not to compel others to share it with me.

And then I discovered what no doubt many women have discovered before and since: that a man must speak of it even to each other. Murray was not thinking only of me, he was torn between me and his mother, and a hatred of war in all its phases. "But we've got to see it through," Margaret Anne said, "and I know one thing worse than war would be to let the Germans succeed, this world is not going to be five in if they are allowed to run it according to their ideas."

And a few minutes later, "I am not afraid of being killed, though I never had so much reason to live, please don't think I'm coward," I said, "I thought of killing you, but I don't think I would. And yet when I think of Belgium, and that it is only the lives of men that stand between us and those horrors I feel that I cannot soon enough."

And he let him talk it all out, and I think I convinced him that I understood how he felt.

My next task was not an easy one. I felt sure that Murray was the sort of man who would believe it right to leave me free, and I was determined that he should not. Suppose he should come home crippled or even helpless, and I knew that he was thinking—why should I not have the right to do for him what he would willingly do for me? It was very hard to tell him that I wanted him to marry me before he was well enough to do so. I said, "And when he begged, 'Don't tempt me, Margaret-Anne,' I knew that I had won."

So we changed our plans just a trifle and were married in August instead of in September. And now I am approved and some disapproved, but all were interested. And only a few were wise enough to put their disapproval into words.

I think it is the most romantic thing I ever heard of: Maudie said so. And Mrs. Stevenson hoped that I would never have cause to regret my rashness.

"Young people will be young people," I suppose, she sighed. "But I hope you have considered that you may perhaps be burdened with a helpless husband, or perhaps left a young widow."

But then she gave me a beautiful tablecloth, and kissed me for Mother so I forgive her. And I hid the tablecloth away at the bottom of my trunk, and the clearing of terms Canada has paid a tremendous forfeit in destroyed timber. Much has been done, however, to make the process of land clearing safe by issuing permits for burning and supervising the operation through officers of the Forest Service.

The Canadian Forestry Association has repeatedly pointed out that the wood-using industry of Canada accounts for a national income of 500 million dollars a year and cannot continue indefinitely unless over a safeguard is thrown about the limited possessions of the Dominion.

**Women Can Dye Any Garment, Drapery**  
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Don't wonder whether you can dye or not successfully, because perfect home dyeing is guaranteed with "Diamond Dyes" even if you have never dyed before. Druggists have all colors. Directions in each package.

**Canadian Bacon Prices Advance**  
Government System of Grading Said to be Largely Responsible for Better Prices

Canadian bacon is plainly making its way on the British market, undoubtedly largely due to the system of grading that is now conducted by the Dominion Livestock Branch. A cablegram to the branch dated August 24 says: "Canadian bacon prices advanced 16 to 15 shillings; leanest, 100 to 120 shillings; American, 100 to 120 shillings; Irish, normal; Danish 134 to 142 shillings. Good demand throughout."

Top prices for hogs at the principal markets in Canada for the week ending August 23 also showed an advance over the previous week except at Winnipeg, where the quotations were stationary at \$11.27. At Toronto tops were \$11.90 compared with \$11.60 the previous week; at Montreal, \$11.75 compared with \$11.45; at Calgary, \$11 compared with \$10.89; and at Edmonton, \$11.30 compared with \$10.75.

**Forest Fire Problem**  
14 Millions Said to be Lost in Year's Forest Fires

Canada's bill for damages sustained by reason of forest fires during the past five years averages \$14,500,000 annually. The number of forest fires averaged 5,779 a year and the causes of this shocking display of vandalism were nine times in ten human recklessness. Canada incurred for 21 per cent. of all these fires; settlers burning slash started 22 per cent.; lightning 10 per cent.; and railways 26 per cent. The figure charged to railways is, however, an unfair index of responsibility. In the first place, practically all fires started, or said to be started, from railway lines are instantly reported. This is not true of campers and settlers, and lightning fires. Again, the majority of railway fires being quickly detected, are quickly put out so that as timber destroyers the railway lines have fallen to a minor position.

The problem of land clearing first started by settlers and running into the green timber is one of the most aggravated and complex. Settlers in newly developed districts must use fire to clean up the debris and naturally wish to choose hot and dangerous weather when burning conditions are bad. The inevitable means that for the clearing of terms Canada has paid a tremendous forfeit in destroyed timber. Much has been done, however, to make the process of land clearing safe by issuing permits for burning and supervising the operation through officers of the Forest Service.

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**Total Crop in Alberta**  
The province of Alberta is expected to harvest a total crop of 142,955,000 bushels of wheat, according to the latest figures issued by the Department of Agriculture at Edmonton. The total acreage in wheat has been settled upon between the Canadian Government Bureau of Statistics and the provincial Department of Agriculture, at 5,595,461 acres, and the provincial department's latest estimate of the average yield is 24 bushels per acre.

**Soldiers' Insurance Act**  
Up to the present time, from the commencement of the Soldiers' Insurance Act, the Department of Civil Re-establishment has received 24,000 applications, with an insurance value of approximately \$60,000,000. During the first year of operation the number of applications ran a little over 600 per month, but during August and September of last year the number ran up to about 2,900 a month.

A man could make money with five fingers if he didn't have ten for it to all through.

A western packer has a herd of buffalo with which he will test the market for buffalo meat.

W. N. U. 1490

**England's Laziest Village**  
Vicar Thinks Credit Should Be Given to Broxholme

Which is the laziest village in England? asks the London Daily News. If the rector, the Rev. H. J. Collins, is to be believed, the credit must be given to Broxholme, six miles from London. There are only twenty-three houses in the village, but the rector says he finds the task of administering to the spiritual needs of the 105 habitually tired souls who comprise his flock a discouraging and exasperating one.

It has long been a sore point with him that on Sunday only a sprinkling of his parishioners trouble to walk the stone's throw which separates the church from the village.

He complains, too, that after weeks of preparation and advertising recently not one of the 105 arrived at the garden fete in the rectory grounds in aid of parochial needs.

In fairness to the men of Broxholme, however, it should be said that they do sometimes take a constitutional invariably on the day when the rector has decided that the leaves of the graveyard require sweeping up.

The sight of a score or so of rustics watching the rector over the churchyard wall, as in shirt sleeves, he bends to his task, has his humorous side, but the rector has yet to find.

**Eggs Now Retailed According to Grade**  
Assurance to Consumer that Eggs Are of Class Represented

At the 123rd session of Parliament, legislation was secured to enable the Dominion Minister of Agriculture to extend egg grading to the domestic trade. Hitherto, grading and classification have been required for inter-provincial export and import shipments. It now becomes necessary that eggs intended for home consumption should be similarly classified. By this step the consumer will have assurance that the eggs purchased are of the class represented. This will result not only in his getting value for his money, but indirectly in increased egg consumption. The producer will also be benefited because he will be in a position to realize the price that a high quality product should command over the poorer grades. This also means that the great desire to place the poultry industry on a more prosperous basis in this country.

**The Hand Is Sensitive**  
A burn on the hand is much more painful than one on the back. The hand is a mass of nerves, and a man should know the man of the hand will frequently collapse as completely as if shot through the body. Few portions of the human frame are more sensitive than the tips of the fingers.

**Manitoba Dairy Products**  
The Manitoba Government will shortly appoint a commissioner to investigate marketing of dairy products with a view to establishing co-operative agencies at county points and endeavor to get better prices for these products both to the importer and consumer.

**Rapid Promotion**  
"I guess I'll double my income," said the office boy as he folded his ten dollar bill.

According to some authorities the surface of the human body is about 16 square feet.

**Is Your Nose Stuffed With Cold?**

Don't load your stomach with rough medicine. Use the new healing medication through the nostrils—send it into the passages that are inflamed with Catarrh. It's easy to get rid of a bad cold, to drive out Catarrh, to strengthen as weak throat by inhaling Catarrh. Get Catarrh from your druggist today. By using it frequently you keep the passages free from germs, and thereby prevent many a bad cold. Two months' treatment \$1.00; small size 50c. Refuse a substitute. By Mail From The Catarrh Co., Montreal.

**Branding Criminals**  
Turkish Police Adopting English Fifteenth Century Method

A dispatch from Constantinople states that the Turkish police are reverting to the English 15th century mode of marking habitual criminals. Whereas England used to cut off the ears of criminals, the Turkish officials are tattooing or burning old offenders so that they may be recognized. Strong measures are needed, it is said, because of a tremendous influx of the worst element from all Near Eastern countries since the end of the war. These added to the already notorious criminal class of Constantinople, make it one of the worst cities for criminal activity in the entire world.

**Belgian Woman's Wish Gratified**  
Dying Woman Taken by Airplane from London to Home in Brussels

An Belgian woman slowly dying of an incurable disease in London, was carried to Brussels in a special aircraft, which had been converted into an aerial ambulance. "The woman, who had expressed a wish to die in her own home, was driven to the London Air Station in an ambulance. One of the Napier D. H. 34 air liners of the Inland Line, which usually accommodates 11 people, had been fitted with a bed instead of the usual seats. The 450 h.p. Napier engine had been specially silenced and the patient was carried 200 miles between London and Brussels in 1 hour and 40 minutes in absolute comfort.

**Acreage in Saskatchewan**  
It is estimated by the Provincial Government that Saskatchewan has 12,382,000 acres devoted to wheat this year, and 5,998,000 acres to oats. Other leading crops are as follows: Barley, 617,000 acres; rye, 578,000 acres; flax, 611,000 acres; and hay and clover, 275,000 acres.

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## Relieved Rheumatism Too, Says Contractor

Thousands of people everywhere have turned to Tanlac through the statements of others and have taken the treatment with such splendid results that they in turn deem it only fair to relate their experience for the benefit of suffering humanity. Such is the case with Desdemona, well known Electrical Contractor, living at 1066 Berri St., Montreal, who says:

"I couldn't do otherwise than publicly endorse Tanlac for I was lucky to find out about the medicine the same way myself. For nearly a year I suffered from indigestion, and about rheumatism in my legs. About a month ago I was laid up in bed for two weeks with this rheumatism and a bad case of indigestion. I lost about eight pounds and felt miserable."

"Three bottles of the Tanlac treatment, besides greatly improving my rheumatism, had made my eating and digestion better than they ever were. I have regained my lost weight, and am feeling extremely well. Tanlac is great."

"Tanalac is for sale by all good druggists. Accept no substitute. Over 25 million bottles sold."

"Tanalac Vegetable Pills are Nature's own remedy for constipation. For sale everywhere."

### WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Miss Katherine Jellicoe, an aunt of Admiral Viscount Jellicoe, celebrated the anniversary of her 102nd birthday.

The Irish Free State was unanimously elected to membership in the League of Nations by the assembly.

That the earthquake disaster in Japan will create a big demand for building material, particularly lumber, is expected in Vancouver.

Max D. Kirjasson, United States Consul at Yokohama, was killed in the earthquake that visited Japan. His wife was also a victim.

Observations of the solar eclipse from Santa Catalina Island, near Los Angeles, were unsuccessful. It was announced by Professor A. O. Leuschner, University of California astronomer.

British Columbia's difficulties in attempting to take liquor into the Yukon and Altona country have been held by the United States by the Canadian Government.

The will of the late President Harding leaves to Mrs. Harding a life estate of \$100,000, the Harding home, and a half interest in the building owned by the Marion Star.

Fifty armed pirates travelling on a steamer bound for Hong Kong from Canton surprised the captain in his cabin and then ransacked the ship, carrying off \$20,000.

Hjalmer Nordstrum, representing Norwegian sardine canners, is spending some time at the Pacific coast, where he will study methods of packing and distributing canned fish.

With one arm trailing helplessly broken at the wrist, 15-year-old David Rosenthal, a girl scout, saved several hundred feet to the rescue of an 11-year-old boy at White Bear Lake, St. Paul, Minn.

The population of Toronto increased by 9,556 during the past year, while assessments are \$28,000,000 greater than a year ago. It is announced by the report shows that the population of the city is now 528,771, while assessments for 1924 total \$851,592,582.

### Lowering Tanks With Melting Ice

Steel tanks used as brine-containers in ice plants of the Union Ice Company of California are lowered to their permanent positions with the aid of blocks of ice which carry the weight of the tank while blocking is being removed and then, as the ice melts, allow the tanks to settle to its foundation.

## WOMAN SUFFERED FOR MONTHS

Weak and Nervous. Made Well by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Webbwood, Ont.—"I was in a very weak and run-down nervous condition, always tired from the time I got up until I went to bed. My sister recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to me and other ladies who have the same trouble. I took it. It did not take long until I felt stronger and my appetite came back to me. I am a farmer's wife and have many things to do outside the house, such as milking, looking after the poultry, and other chores. I heartily recommend the Vegetable Compound to all who have the same trouble I had, for it is a fine medicine for women."

—Mrs. LOUIS F. ELIAS, 501 14th St., Port Huron, Mich.

Another Nervous Woman Finds Relief

Port Huron, Mich.—"I suffered for two years with pains in my side, and I worked very much. I was nervous and just as tired in the morning as when I went to bed. I was sleepy all the day and didn't feel like doing anything. I was so nervous I would bite my finger nail. One of my friends told me that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it helped me so much that I soon felt better."

—Mrs. LOUIS F. ELIAS, 501 14th St., Port Huron, Mich.

Women who suffer from any feminine ailment should try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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## Rhodesia May Come Under British Crown

Governments Now Negotiating to Take Over Administration

The fine territory of Rhodesia in South Africa will shortly come under the British Crown if the negotiations between the British South Africa Company and the Imperial Government bring the expected result.

Through the action of Cecil Rhodes this great and promising African region was rescued, for civilization and occupation by white people, from the neglect and savagery of recent centuries. The British South Africa Company did the great pioneer work by mandate from Great Britain.

Now the success and magnitude of the work are such that it is clearly better for all concerned that the nation should take over the administration, and arrange responsible government on lines that have so often been successful in other parts of the Empire.

### His Flesh Horribly Burnt

His druggist gave him a cheap Acid Corn Remover, instead of giving him good old reliable Putnam's Corn Extractor which has been for fifty years the Standard remover of corns and warts. Putnam's never fails. It is always a success. 25c everywhere. Refuse a substitute.

### The Telephone

Instruments Multiplying in Numbers As the Years Pass

The telephone has come to be so common that it is not often recognized as the wonderful instrument it is, nor its place in the business and social life of the country fully appreciated. The Provincial Minister of Telephones said the other day that in Canada, there are alone and a fraction, phones in use for every one hundred people, or nearly one to each ten inhabitants. That is a remarkable showing, and suggests how dependent people in town and country have become upon this comparatively modern invention. For any reason the telephone had to be discarded the whole code of business operations would have to be revolutionized in the cities, while the farms would again be isolated as in the days of the last generation. There is no likelihood of that occurring. On the contrary, the phones are multiplying in number as the years pass, and the range of the instrument is being increased in a way to broaden its usefulness. Through connection has now been established between Edmonton and Winnipeg, by way of Regina, and a year or so hence it will be possible to talk over the wire from one end of Canada to the other.

The National convention of men connected with the telephone business was held recently. The gathering was perhaps more important than commonly realized, for the telephone is a part of the life of the individual, the business, the community—sometimes a nuisance—for the privilege of using which the city calls upon him at what seem to be remarkable short intervals for a contribution to the public utility. Of course he thinks he gets value for the money, otherwise he would discontinue the phone. Some people do try to economize in that way, but most of them have the machine installed against a more or less long experience of the bother of doing without it. Like the water that runs from the tap, the value of the service is only realized when it is withdrawn.

The telephone is now an absolute necessity to the carrying on of a business enterprise, and in the social scheme of things it plays a part that makes it almost indispensable. Unless and until it is displaced by a wireless contrivance it has come to stay, and to grow in numbers and usefulness. The convention of men who manage systems in all parts of Canada cannot be without important results. In the development of the business and therefore in the extension of the service they render to the community. —Edmonton Bulletin.

Sores Feet Before It—There are many who have been afflicted with sores and have driven them away with Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. All similarly troubled should lose no time in applying his splendid remedy, as there is nothing like it to be had. It is cheap, but its power is in no way exaggerated by its low price.

### A Treat For Both

A prominent playwright was in Atlantic City, supervising one of his plays. One night he saw an old scrub-woman bent over her work. Thinking to give her a treat, the playwright stopped and asked her, "Would you like to go to a theatre, tomorrow night?"

The woman looked up, studied his face earnestly, then said: "I can't go tomorrow night! Can't you get some other night off?" —Chicago Tribune.

During the month of November, 1922, the toll on the Panama Canal amounted to over a million dollars.

Minard's Liniment for Corns

### Records in Thinness

Four Miles of Spider's Web Weighs Little More than a Grain

Platinum wire has been drawn so fine that 20,000 pieces of it placed side by side would not cover more than an inch, while 150 pieces hanging together would be necessary to form a thread as thick as a filament of raw silk.

A mite of this wire would not weigh more than a grain, while seven ounces of it would extend from London to New York.

Finer is the filament produced by the silkworm, that produced by the spider is even more attenuated. If, for instance, a thread of a spider's web measured four miles, it would weigh little more than a grain.

As a soap bubble floats in the light of the sun it reflects to the eye an endless variety of gorgeous tints. Newton showed that to each of these tints corresponds a certain thickness of the substance forming the bubble; in fact, he showed that all transparent substances, when reduced to a certain degree of thinness, would reflect these colors.

Near the highest point of the bubble, just before it bursts, can be seen a spot which reflects no color and appears black. According to Newton, the thickness of the bubble at the black spot is the 2,500,000th part of an inch!

### B.C. Lumber Exports

Heavy Increase in Shipments Reported Over Last Year

During the first seven months of this year, the port of Vancouver shipped out 149,370,325 board feet of lumber, as compared with 98,277,515 feet in the corresponding period of the preceding year. The Orient is the largest customer, consuming 9,000,000 feet more this year than last, or a total of 69,996,000 feet. In the shingle business there has been an increase of 700,000 bundles, totalling 1,327,729 bundles exported, compared with 597,891 bundles last year, the greatest market being the Atlantic coast, which alone absorbed 1,229,071 bundles.

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### Do Not Fear New Drugs

Scopolamine, the drug that is supposed to render its subjects incapable of lying, does not find favor with all of the medical profession. Some physicians have lately pointed out that the drug is obtained from henbane, deadly nightshade and prickly pear, that all it does is to produce in the patient a state of unconsciousness, and cause the victim to talk freely. There is no certainty, they think, that the accused criminal will tell only the truth.

Like a Grip at the Throat. For a disease that is not classed as fatal there is probably none which causes more terrible suffering than asthma. Sleep is impossible, the sufferer becomes exhausted and finally, though the attack passes, is left in unceasing dread of its return. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy is a wonderful remedial agent. It immediately relieves the restricted air passages as thousands can testify. It is sold by druggists everywhere.

### Selling Dangerous Fuel

Gasoline bootleggers are operating on the outskirts of Los Angeles, California. The bootlegger boys casing head gas stations at the oil fields, close by for nine and ten cents a gallon. It is then either blended with benzene or kerosene or sold straight. The result is a wild and dangerous fuel causing the motor to back-fire and overheat.

### Grabbing Him

"He— I love the good, the true, the beautiful, the innocent."

"She— This is rather sudden, but I think father will consent."

## WARTS

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### Natural Resources Bulletin

Conservative Estimate of Canada's Immense Water Power

The Natural Resources Intelligence Service of the Department of the Interior at Ottawa says:

The latest survey or analysis of Canada's hydraulic resources conservatively worked out from all available information on a basis of 80 per cent installed efficiency and a working load for twenty-four hours per day, has placed the aggregate at 18,255,000 horsepower for conditions of ordinary minimum flow. It is further estimated that the figure means that some 35,000 horsepower could be depended upon for six months in the year. Among the more important rivers are the Winnipeg and Nelson, in Manitoba. The former is capable of developing 500,000 horsepower, while the Nelson has almost 2,500,000 horsepower available at ordinary minimum flow. There are several excellent powers in the rivers of the Northern Saskatchewan and Alberta, which will prove invaluable for the development of the mineral and timber resources of that region.

### Mapping Ocean Beds

New Sounding Device Makes More Accurate Chart Possible

An American warship, doing useful peace work, has recently made a journey from Newport, Rhode Island, to Gibraltar, and as it passed over the sea it took sounding of the depths, and was able to make an accurate chart of 2,200 miles of the bed of the Atlantic.

This was done by means of a new sounding device known as the topic depth-finder, invented by Mr. Harvey Hayes, of the United States Navy. It is a marvelous instrument, and will in four minutes make a more accurate sounding than has hitherto been possible in three hours.

So successful was this wonderful voyage that two destroyers are now charting the bed of the Pacific.

### Goods Mightier Than Guns

Economics More Powerful Than Weapons in Deciding War

As time passes, it becomes clearer that for probably the first time in human history economics were more powerful than bayonet and shell in deciding the issue. Britain, in common with most of the other combatants, went into the war with the feeling that it was the Lee-Enfield rifle and the 15-inch gun that were going to decide the issue. It was a long and costly lesson before we realized that the bill of lading and the allied vote counted by an unseen navy in preventing spoils from going to neutral ports were factors as great, or even more powerful, than the Admiral.

### Minard's Liniment for Sprains

Dairy Products Exported to U.S.

The United States is increasing its importation of dairy products from Canada, according to a report issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. In July, 1923, Canada shipped to the United States 437,879 gallons of fresh cream and 143,000 pounds of butter, valued at \$695,946 and 12,646, respectively. The United Kingdom leads in Canadian cheese importations of 124,000 cwt. having been shipped to that destination in July, valued at 2,178,000.

Always Loose

Janet—Do you think betting on horse races is wrong?

Albert—The way I bet is.

### The Automobile Industry

Australia Was Canada's Best Customer For Month of July

Australia was Canada's best motor vehicle customer during the month of July, according to a report just issued by the Bureau of Statistics, which shows that the Commonwealth imported 1,487 automobiles and 599 trucks. New Zealand imported 797 automobiles and 126 trucks and the United Kingdom 283 trucks and 479 automobiles. Total exportation figures show that 1,172 trucks, valued at \$436,574, were shipped out of Canada in July, while passenger-automobiles exported in the same period numbered 4,341, valued at \$1,985,160.

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LIQUOR LAWS ENFORCEMENT  
BARES AMAZING CRIME LIST

Lecturers inclined to boast of the success of prohibition in the United States should not overlook the report recently submitted to President Coolidge.

In a synopsis of the report made public, the period since the Volstead Act was placed on the statute was described by the department of justice as "one of the most tragic epochs in America's history relative to law enforcement. It reveals among other things that the department of justice has been called upon to prosecute a number of the judiciary, prominent members of the American bar, high officials of the federal and state governments, multi-millionaires, some of the nation's aristocracy and the scoundrel story of assassination, bribery and corruption that found its way into the very sanctum wherein the inviolability of the law was presumed to have been held sacred. Since the prohibition law went into effect on January 16th, 1920, more than 90,000 cases have been terminated, of which there were 72,459 convictions. Fines totalling more than \$12,567,000 were assessed in criminal cases alone and jail sentences for twenty-three months of national prohibition totalled more than three thousand years.

As the result of one investigation

there were five federal prohibition officers, one bank president, one attorney and fourteen wholesale liquor dealers convicted, among the bunch being Bertram P. Hovson, the chief prohibition agent, who was convicted of bribery and sentenced to serve seven years in prison and fined \$16,000; Thomas Delaney, prohibition director of Wisconsin, who was sentenced to serve two years and fined \$10,000; Attorney W. M. Buick, who had been paying back a debt made by embezzling funds with money made in bootlegging and bribery, and sentenced to serve five years in prison and a fine of \$14,500. Over four million dollars had been used in these illegal transactions.

President Silby Barrett, of District 25, U.M.W. of A., Nova Scotia, is on a tour to the Pacific coast and will attend the convention of the Trades and Labor Council at Vancouver. J. B. McLachlan is also a delegate, having secured credentials from Glace Bay.

Mrs. M. B. Huffman and children returned home Tuesday morning after absence of several months in Edmonton, where Jackle Huffman was under the care of an eye specialist. Mr. Huffman spent last week end in Edmonton and returned with Mrs. Huffman on Tuesday.

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GROWS POTATOES IN BARREL  
AND GETS BIG CROP

An experiment that may revolutionize the art of growing potatoes was successfully carried out this summer by a local gardener, George W. Castle, of 920 Fifteenth Avenue West. The result of the fresh piece of gardening was 75 pounds of potatoes grown in a barrel from a few seeds.

This is what Mr. Castle did. He planted, in a barrel, a number of Early Ohio potatoes. The seed, of course, was not planted all in one place. He put in a layer of about a foot of earth in the bottom of the barrel, planted a few seeds in this, covered a number of holes around the side of the barrel, and repeated this with earth and spuds until the barrel was full. He then raised the barrel slightly off the ground and watched the result.

The potatoes, which were, as mentioned above, an early variety, took root quickly, and the various plants sprouted through the nearest hole in the barrel. By the time the ones on top had bloomed out and fallen over slightly the barrel was a mass of bloom, with not a particle of it exposed.

The real surprise came when Mr. Castle broke open the barrel. It was simply filled to overflowing with big potatoes and small ones. The largest one weighed 18 ounces and ten of the biggest weighed 9 pounds.

"There is no excuse now," Mr. Castle told the Herald, "for anyone not being able to grow potatoes, even if they don't own a garden. All they want is a barrel or even a nail keg, and they can grow all they want. The only thing that is needed besides this is a place to stand them."

Mr. Castle is well-known in local gardening circles, and has one of the prettiest flower gardens in the city.

HOME BANK NEEDS  
JUDICIAL INVESTIGATION

Under existing circumstances the affairs of the Home Bank of Canada should be investigated, possibly by a Royal Commission. The latter is suggested as the experience in the case of the Merchants' Bank shows that under the usual court procedure the investigators are bound hand and foot by court procedure and narrow judicial findings that tend to trammel proceedings on all sides. That "something is rotten in Denmark," in respect to the Home Bank is self evident. The financial statement of this institution to the Dominion Government for the month of June (the last available) shows it to be in a solvent condition with a reserve fund of about \$550,000. While as recent as June 26 last the general manager's statement to the shareholders to the effect that the bank had fully maintained its position and that full provision had been made for all bad and doubtful debts. Worse yet, in view of what has happened, a quarterly dividend was declared in June.

Possibly the most damning feature of the entire episode was the unloading of a large block of stock by President H. J. Daly at a time when it must have been apparent to those conversant with its business that this bank was in a bad way. Three months before the Home Bank of Canada closed its doors, President Daly completed, through the late Col. Massey, then general manager, a deal with a brokerage house for the sale of one thousand shares of Home Bank stock. The agreement for the sale of this stock was made in January last, and by its terms the stock was to be sold

to Mr. Daly \$80 per share. The stock was sold out over the months as buyers could be found and the brokerage house paid to Mr. Daly the sum of \$80,000 as the result of these sales. The brokerage house at the time the deal was assured that the bank was in first class condition and that the sale of the stock was made necessary owing to Mr. Daly's unfortunate ventures in other than the banking field.

There is no intention here, for in the case of the Home Bank of Canada out of court. We merely wish to point out a few of the salient features of the case.

There is scarce need to intimate that what happened the Home Bank was not the work of a day, a month, or a year. If the Home Bank officials knew their business, and it is presumed they did, its true condition must have been known by them long before the issuing of the June statement to the government, and long before the general manager's statement was given to the shareholders in June 26th. We have had many proofs that the monthly statements issued to the government by the banks are not necessarily worth the paper they are written on. The Merchants' Bank was one recent case in point, and the Home Bank is another. It is self evident that heavy losses have been covered up, by whom and by whom the public have a right to know, and more particularly the portion of the public that invested its money in the Home Bank stock and entrusted its funds to the safe keeping of the institution.

Public confidence in our banking institutions must not be shaken in this manner. The air must be cleared, and all doubts removed. If need be the Canadian Bankers' Association as a body undertake the work of clearing up what is at present a very unpleasant, not to say dangerous situation.—Toronto Saturday Night.

LADY MEMBER EDMONTON  
SCHOOL BOARD  
HITS PROHIBITION

Addressing a meeting at Calgary last week, Mrs. E. T. Bishop, member of the Edmonton school board, rapped prohibition hard.

"Prohibition was the only law which needed to be 'bolstered.' Obey the law," cry prohibitionists. Is it necessary to exhaust every type of citizen to obey the legislation against murder and kindred crimes? Are they unpopular ordinances with the people? No. Therefore, that prohibition is a bad law, one which does not fulfil its intended object and should be abolished," was the opinion expressed by Mrs. Bishop.

"In my opinion, the worst feature of prohibition is that it is daily encouraging people to break the law, a practice which will eventually grow to a real menace," said Mrs. Bishop. "In the event of government control, which I am convinced we shall get, the bootlegger will go, the people will be given a law which they can respect and which can be enforced and the liquor problem will be largely eliminated."

"That prohibition has developed an underworld, and that drinking has increased so that even the younger generation is being affected, are facts which cannot be ignored by any thinking person who brings to the problem an open mind."

AUTHORITY PAINTS PICTURE  
OF PROVINCIAL EXPENDITURE

There are three great groups of spenders of public money in Canada—the Dominion government, the Provincial Government and the municipalities—and they all appear to have thrown prudence to the winds in the matter of expenditures and taxation. At the rate of progress maintained during the past decade they cannot go any further.

Taxation has already passed the limit of safety. We are on the road to very grave trouble. The Citizens' Research Institute of Canada, which has done exceedingly useful work during the past four or five years, cannot be accused of bias

or ulterior motives. It is an independent body, formed solely for the purpose of analyzing in a scientific and impartial way the financial operations of government in Canada.

It has not a word to say about "The Whisper of Death," but its investigations, as disclosed in official bulletins, give ample support to all that has been recently presented in these columns in relation to the reckless waste of public money.

In a bulletin just issued it deals comprehensively with the revenue and expenditure of the various provinces on a per capita basis, which is a sound method of analysis for comparative purposes. The figures are decidedly alarming.

Comparing outgo on the per capita basis in 1918 with outgo in 1921, the Institute gives the following results:

	1918	1921
British Columbia	\$23.07	\$38.64
Alberta	11.48	17.93
Saskatchewan	10.05	16.10
Manitoba	8.60	15.03
Ontario	5.73	8.99
Quebec	5.50	6.22
New Brunswick	6.66	9.23
Nova Scotia	5.26	8.68
P. E. Island	5.38	8.31

With the exception of Quebec and New Brunswick, the increases ran all the way from 54.5 to 74.8 per cent during this three year period. Revenues did not increase by nearly the same ratio. For example while income grew by 6.8 per cent in the case of Saskatchewan, outgo was swollen by 60.2 per cent.

Manitoba had receipts 29.9 per cent larger in 1918 than in 1921; but expenditures went ahead by 74.8 per cent, Ontario made a gain of 52.3 per cent on the side of revenues; but spent more by 56.9 per cent.

In this situation the provinces had to borrow. They should not have put themselves in a position which made that necessary, but it was all a product of the reckless spirit which has come over the country during recent years.

The Citizens' Research Institute does not in this particular bulletin give the facts with regard to provincial debts, but they are available down to the early part of the current year from other sources. The total in 1919 was \$261,288,954. In March last

it was \$397,184,154.

The increases by provinces are particularly startling. They were as follows:

	Per Cent Increase
British Columbia	239.1
Alberta	116.1
Saskatchewan	67.9
Manitoba	95.7
Ontario	236.5
Quebec	40.9
New Brunswick	35.3
Nova Scotia	44.8
P. E. Island	16.4

The Citizens' Research Institute of Canada has no object in deceiving you. It is dealing with the matter precisely as a doctor would a case of disease. It says:

"Provincial expenditures are increasing, except in one province, much more rapidly than population. It may be said that the increase in the earlier years, at least, was due to the increased cost of living and the increased prices that Governments have to pay for everything they buy. But this is beside the mark, unless it can show that citizens, who also suffer from the high cost of living, have larger incomes from which to support the burden of taxation which, directly or indirectly, must fall upon them. If increased costs force individuals to retrench, it should force governments to retrench. During the present period, when Canada should be nursing her resources, citizens must help their governments to do without rather than help them to find new ways of spending their money."—Montreal Star.

## Tenders Wanted

TENDERS will be received not later than Monday, 12 o'clock noon, October 1st, 1923, for the construction of a Curling and Skating Rink at Bellevue, Alberta, according to plans and specifications, copies of which can be obtained from H. Barilass, secretary, Bellevue Covered Rink.

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EDITOR OF THE MORNING ALBERTAN  
says

Clause "D" Does Not Mean the  
Return of the Bar

Writing editorially August 16th he says:

"The Moderationists have always insisted even when appearing before the Legislative committee drafting the questions, that they did not want the return of the bar and included such a statement in the proposed ballot submitted at the time. The Albertan is quite confident that if "D" passes, this Government and this Legislature will do their utmost to have conditions as different as possible from the old days of the bar.

It doubts, AFTER THE REPEATED STATEMENTS OF THE MODERATIONISTS, if any Government or Legislature would dare to permit what we generally regard as the old bar system."

DO NOT BE FOOLED—The Moderationists are honest in their statements that they do not want the return of the Bar.

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## COWLEY SCHOOL FAIR

The school fair recently held was a huge success. The day was ideal and everything went off in fine style. The prizes were many and varied and were won as follows:

## Sewing—Ten Years and Under

Myrtle Lowery, Coalfield, first; Ruby Fink, Tennessee, second; Ethel Robinson, Tennyson, third; Marjorie Patton, Lundbreck, fourth.

## Sewing—Eleven Years and Over

Alice Bently, Ashvale, first; Doris Musgrave, Tennyson, second; Nellie Musgrave, Tennyson, third.

## Patch

Irene Fortier, Cowley, first; Mary McLachlan, North Fork, second; Nellie Musgrave, Tennyson, third; Doris Musgrave, Tennyson, fourth.

## Buttonholes

Alice Bently, Ashvale, first; Nellie Musgrave, Tennyson, second; Doris Musgrave, Tennyson, third.

## Hemstitched Towel

Elsie Bent, Lee, first; Madeline Gamache, Coalfield, second; Grace Currie, Coalfield, third.

## Thrift Problem

Elmer Gamache, Coalfield, first; Jean Morrison, Cowley, second; Doris Musgrave, Tennyson, third; Dorothy Patton, Lundbreck, fourth.

## Ginger Bread

Myrtle Bennett, Lee, first; Robert Day, Tennessee, second; Vera Tench, Tennyson, third; Doris Musgrave, Tennyson, fourth.

## Drop Cookies

Robert Day, Tennessee, first; Doris Musgrave, Tennyson, second; Jennie Roberts, Lundbreck, third; Lillian Robinson, Tennyson, fourth.

## Bread

Anna Eddy, Coalfield, first; Nellie Musgrave, Tennyson, second; Mary McLachlan, North Fork, third.

## Cookies

Lyla Bent, Lee, first; Nellie Musgrave, Tennyson, second; Anna Eddy, Coalfield, third; Mary McLachlan, North Fork, fourth.

## Ginger Snaps

Elsie Bent, Lee, first; Mary Mc-

Lachlan, North Fork, second; Anna Eddy, Coalfield, third; Nellie Musgrave, Tennyson, fourth.

## Pina Cole

Ruby Fink, Tennessee, first; Leslie Ray, Tennessee, second; Bill Robinson, Tennyson, third; Edna Betts, Tennessee, fourth.

## Butter Scotch

Winnie Musgrave, Tennyson, first; Ruth Tench, Tennyson, second; Robert McLachlan, North Fork, third; Hazel Eddy, Lee, fourth.

## Custard

Doris Musgrave, Tennyson, first; Myrtle Bennett, Lee, second; Lillian Robinson, Tennyson, third; Jennie Roberts, Lundbreck, fourth.

## Baking Powder Biscuits

Myrtle Bennett, Lee, first; Doris Musgrave, Tennyson, second; Lillian Robinson, Tennyson, third; Ross Rhodes, Tanager, fourth.

## Apple Pie

Lyla Bent, Lee, first; Nellie Musgrave, Tennyson, second.

## Canning Pickles

Lyla Bent, Lee, first; Nellie Musgrave, Tennyson, second; Doris Musgrave, Tennyson, third; Jennie Roberts, Lundbreck, fourth.

## Canning Fruit

Doris Musgrave, Tennyson, first; Alvin Murphy, Cowley, second; Nellie Musgrave, Tennyson, third; Lyla Bent, Lee, fourth.

## Vegetables Canned

Lyla Bent, Lee, first.

## Carrots

Edna Lewis, Ashvale, first; Alvin Murphy, Cowley, second; Eliza Manfort, Tanager, third; Hilda Roper, Tanager, fourth; Lawrence Bent, Lee, fifth.

## Beets

Harry Eddy, Coalfield, first; Doris Musgrave, Tennyson, second; Nellie Musgrave, Tennyson, third; Frank Pizzola, Cowley, fourth; Donald McKay, Todd Creek, fifth.

## Mangles

John Eddy, Coalfield, first; Hilda Roper, Tanager, second; H. Thibart, Todd Creek, third; Willie Musgrave, Tennyson, fourth; Doris Musgrave, Tennyson, fifth.

## Peas

Elsie Bent, Lee, first; Leonard Thibart, Todd Creek, fourth; James

## Coalfield, fifth.

## Mangles

Ruby Fink, Tennessee, first; Doris Musgrave, Tennyson, second; Edward Percavault, Cowley, third; Willie Musgrave, Tennyson, fourth; Lawrence Bent, Lee, fifth.

## Peas

Nellie Musgrave, Tennyson, first; Harry Smyth, Cowley, second; Leslie Ray, Tennessee, third; H. Thibart, Todd Creek, fourth; Doris Ray, Tennessee, fifth.

## Cabbages

Ray Eddy, Coalfield, first; Leonard Wright, Tennessee, second; Alfie Chies, Coalfield, third; Kenneth Brockwell, Cowley, fourth.

## Potatoes

David Lewis, Ashvale, first; Willie Musgrave, Tennyson, second; Kenneth Brockwell, Cowley, third; Ray Eddy, Coalfield, fourth; Clovis Bonnie, Tanager, fifth.

## Carrots

Clarence Marlow, Lundbreck, first; Elsie Bent, Lee, second; Bill Evin, Lundbreck, third; Nellie Musgrave, Tennyson, fourth; Donald McKay, Todd Creek, fifth.

## Beets

Nellie Musgrave, Tennyson, first; Leonard White, Tennessee, second; Elsie Bent, Lee, third; Harvey Eddy, Coalfield, fourth; Donald McKay, Todd Creek, fifth.

## Turnips

Harvey Eddy, Coalfield, first; Doris Musgrave, Tennyson, second; Nellie Musgrave, Tennyson, third; Frank Pizzola, Cowley, fourth; Donald McKay, Todd Creek, fifth.

## Mangles

John Eddy, Coalfield, first; Hilda Roper, Tanager, second; H. Thibart, Todd Creek, third; Willie Musgrave, Tennyson, fourth; Doris Musgrave, Tennyson, fifth.

## Peas

Elsie Bent, Lee, first; Leonard Thibart, Todd Creek, fourth; James

## Burles, Olin Creek, fifth.

Chief Oats  
Ruby Fink, Tennessee, first; Rosalie Percavault, Cowley, second; Harold Snyder, Tennessee, third.

## Wheat

Edward Percavault, Cowley, first; Doris Musgrave, Tennyson, second; Willie Musgrave, Tennyson, third.

## Barley

Frank Pizzola, Cowley, first; Bill Maloff, Cowley, second; Gilbert Wright, Tennessee, third.

## Rye

Doris Musgrave, Tennyson, first; Nellie Musgrave, Tennyson, second.

## Grasses

Doris Musgrave, Tennyson, first; Willie Musgrave, Tennyson, second.

## Sunflowers

Ray Eddy, Coalfield, first; Lawrence Bent, Lee, second; Willie Musgrave, Tennyson, third.

## Corn

Clarence Marlow, Lundbreck, first; Harold Snyder, Tennessee, second; Lawrence Bent, Lee, third.

## Wheat

Robert Day, Tennessee, first; Harold Snyder, Tennessee, second; John Bare, North Fork, third.

Flowers, General Collection  
Barbara Bundy, Cowley, first; Ketha Tustian, Cowley, second; Ruby Fink, Tennessee, third.

Flowers, School Collection  
Drucilla Shambryn, first; Grace Currie, Coalfield, second; Mary McKay, Todd Creek, third.

Business Letter  
Jean Morrison, Cowley, first; Hilda Hannan, Cowley, second; Eileen Nelson, Lundbreck, third.

Penmanship  
Grade I.—Felice Marcoli, Lee, first; Bill Maloff, Cowley, second; Jack Joyce, Coalfield, third.

Grade II.—Andrew Dumont, Tanager, first; James Burles, Olin Creek, second; Robert Day, Tennessee, third.

Grade III.—Peter Franz, Todd Creek, first; Tommy Heap, North Fork, second; Clovis Bonnier, Tanager, third.

Grade IV.—Ronald Lewis, Ashvale, first; Frank Pizzola, Cowley, second; Nola Nelson, Lundbreck, third.

Grade V.—Mary McLachlan, North Fork, first; Vincent Walters, Lundbreck, second; Albert Bougerall, Tanager, third.

Grade VI.—Florence Penn, Lundbreck, first; Isabel Cyr, Cowley, second; Harold Snyder, Tennessee, third.

Grade VII.—Rhona Grove, Lundbreck, first; Emily Robinson, Heath Creek, second; Ivy Tonge, Lundbreck, third.

Grade VIII.—Allison Brockwell, Cowley, first; Eileen Nelson, Lundbreck, second; Hilda Hannan, Cowley, third.

Grade IX.—Jean Morrison, Cowley, first.

Map of Canada  
John Bare, North Fork, first; Elsie Bennett, Cowley, second; Irene Fortier, Cowley, third.

Map of Alberta  
Doris Walters, Lundbreck, first; Lillian Robinson, Tennessee, second; Florence Penn, Lundbreck, third.

Map of World  
Brad Tustian, Cowley, first; Jean Morrison, Cowley, second.

Special  
Horace Polson, Cowley, first; Bill Evin, Lundbreck, second; John Bare, North Fork, third.

Sewing  
Elsie Bent, Lee, first; Lyla Bent, second; Dorothy Oshoff, third.

Wood Collection  
Ashvale, first.

Flower Collection  
Lundbreck, first; Ashvale, second.

Special Art  
Barbara Bundy.

Plasticine Model  
Margaret Walters, Lundbreck, first; Confield Beet, second; Phyllis Smyth, Lundbreck, third.

Drawing of Fruit  
Ruby Fink, Tennessee, first; Kathleen Crawford, Olin Creek, second; Margaret Walters, Lundbreck, third.

Paper-Teasing Landscape  
Jack Cowan, Cowley, first; Alvin Murphy, Cowley, second; Millie Ritten, Cowley, third.

Paper Construction  
Bill Maloff, Cowley, first; Alvin Murphy, Cowley, second; Rosalie

## Percavault, Cowley, third.

Illustrated Booklet  
Alvin Murphy, Cowley, first; Bill Maloff, Cowley, second; Theresa Cyr, Cowley, third.

## Flower and Leaf

Bessie Cooper, Cowley, first; Nola Nelson, Lundbreck, second; Tommy Heap, North Fork, third.

## Envelope

May Polson, Cowley, first; Bessie Cooper, Cowley, second; Frank Pizzola, Cowley, third.

## Landscape

Lewis Burles, Olin Creek, first; Nola Nelson, Lundbreck, second; Harry Smyth, Cowley, third.

## Bird, in Pencil

Florence Penn, Lundbreck, first; Doris Walters, Lundbreck, second; Jennie Roberts, Lundbreck, third.

## 74-C

James Burles, Olin Creek, first.

## 75-C

Mary McLachlan, North Fork, first; Roberta McLaughlin, second; Daisy Burles, Olin Creek, third.

## 76-C

Florence Penn, Lundbreck, first; Dorothy Patton, Lundbreck, second.

## 79-D

Ivy Tonge, Lundbreck, first; Violet Penn, Lundbreck, second; Annie Eddy, Coalfield, third.

## 80-D

John Bare, North Fork, first.

## 81-D

John Bare, North Fork, first; Doris Musgrave, Cowley, second; Isabel Morrison, Cowley, third.

## 82-D

Table and Chair  
Bruce Bouthiller, Cowley, first; David Murphy, Cowley, second; David Bouthiller, Cowley, third.

## 84-D

John Bare, North Fork, first.

## 85-HS

Jean Morrison, Cowley, first.

## FARMERS NEED ORGANIZATION

Until the wide difference between the coal miner, getting his \$8 to \$12 a day, and the farmer getting his paltry 90 cents or \$1 for his wheat, is synchronized and balanced, rural conditions on this continent, will not right themselves and last lasting prosperity cannot come to anyone.

The coal strike was settled the other day by granting the coal miners a 10 per cent increase, or in round figures, \$35,000,000. Farmers, along with the rest of the general public, will pay for that increase.

And the farmer will feel it the most, because, what unorganized, his financial returns will not react to the coal miners' interest as will the returns of other calling. Lack of organization puts the farmer completely out of tune with the harmony of the business world.

But if organization can secure a fair profit for coal miners, organization can do the same thing in the case of wheat, another world commodity.

Farming is the only big business that is unorganized. In that it cannot hope to get the return it is justly entitled to when it is surrounded by an industrial life which is highly organized. The farmer cannot stand the pressure of a situation which sets up a disastrous difference between the price he pays for goods and the price he receives for his product.

There is too wide a gulf between industry and agriculture. Until the farmers of North America achieve the same measure of organization that our industries and industrial workers have achieved there will always be the grave danger of depopulation of grain-growing areas simply because the unorganized farmer is preyed upon by the organized industrial worker.

Western Canada faces that situation today.—Vancouver Sun.

Otto Nelson Hartman, a Chicago bell hop, succeeded in perpetrating a series of hoaxes on society in the eastern States as one of the social elite and mingled in leading society and was even a guest on the magnificent yacht of Commodore Arthur Curtiss James. All he had to offer was his manners, clothes, good looks and colossal nerve.

## TEN COMMANDMENTS OF DRIVING

1. Drive on the right side of the road. It's just as good as the left.
2. Slow down when approaching a crossroad; it's nearly as dangerous as a railroad crossing.
3. Look out for the children. You can never tell what they will do, and you are always in the wrong if you hit one.
4. Try to help instead of hinder the traffic officer; he is there for your good, and he's got a tough job.
5. Be sure that your "dimmers" are really dim; it's no joke driving in to a blinding glare, as you probably know.
6. Read and obey the warning signs; they are not put up for ornaments.
7. If you feel you're really got to speed—do it where it won't kill anybody but yourself.
8. When making minor repairs, stop where your car may be seen from both directions; otherwise you may stop longer than you anticipate.
9. Speeding around corners is a straight route to the hospital. Don't race past a street car. Some day the jury may call it manslaughter.
10. Use discretion. The fact that you had the right of way won't bring anybody back to life, least of all yourself.

A new world's speed record of 244.15 miles per hour has been established by Lieut. Harold J. Brown, U.S.N., in a navy Curtiss flying machine.

## Here and There

Nearly four thousand men were recruited by the Canadian Pacific Railway agents in England for work in the harvest fields of the Canadian West.

A sudden demand for wheat in Scandinavian markets has caused increased prices for the grain. Four boats left with bulk wheat for parts of Norway and Sweden, marking the first direct grain shipments from the Canadian Pacific coast to Scandinavia.

The rapid increase in the export butter trade of Saskatchewan during the past year or two has been the outstanding feature of the provincial dairy industry. Recently the Saskatchewan Co-operative Creameries made a shipment of 25,000 lbs. of butter to China.

The export of gold bullion, gold coins and gold bars from Canada, except as deemed advisable by the Minister of Finance, and is prohibited until July 1, 1924, by proclamation issued in the current issue of the Canada Gazette.

Breaking all 1923 passenger traffic records, the Canadian Pacific S.S. "Metagama," in the mail route Glasgow via Belfast, docked recently at Quebec, and Montreal the same evening, with a record number of 382 cabin and 1,078 third-class passengers.

"There are hundreds of first class farm workers in Scotland anxious to come to Canada, and the Canadian material Canada could wish for, but their wages are sufficient to barely support them and they are unable to accumulate funds for the passage." This is the opinion of Thomas Scotland, Canadian Pacific Railway Colonization and Development office in Glasgow, who recently arrived in Canada with a party of Scotch immigrants bound for the western provinces.

To J. K. L. Ross, director of the Canadian Pacific Railway, goes the honor of catching the world's record fish with rod and reel. At St. Ann's Bay, N.S., he landed a tuna weighing 712 pounds, length, 9 feet 2 inches; girth, 6 feet. Commander Ross used a Vom Hofe tuna rod and reel, No. 29 thread line, with mackerel for bait. His catch took three and a quarter hours to land.

The world's wheat crop this year is estimated at 3,315,000,000 bushels, as compared with 3,184,000,000 bushels last year, an increase of 131,000,000 bushels, according to figures carefully compiled by the International Institute of Agriculture at Rome. The estimated shipments from supply countries of the world for this year is 600,000,000 bushels, of which Canada is expected to supply 200,000,000 bushels, or about one-third.

Canadian trade with Australia is on the increase according to returns made public by the Bureau of Statistics. Canadian exports to Australia for the twelve months ending with June were \$19,264,239 as compared with \$18,300,468 for the corresponding period, ending June, 1922. Canada's imports from the Commonwealth have also increased. The imports from Australia for the last twelve months were \$1,645,852, as compared with \$1,275,971 for the year previous.

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# Food Value Of Vegetables Lies Largely From The Fact That They Contain Vitamines

(By L. F. Burrows, Secretary, Canadian Horticultural Council)

Comparatively recent is the addition of the word, "vitamin" to our vocabulary, and even though the use of the word is now common, its meaning is not yet understood. Physicians have long recognized the value of vegetables in the daily diet and we are now told that this value lies largely in the fact that they contain vitamins, and that vitamins are necessary to life. Some vegetables contain greater quantities and of different kinds than others. Three distinct kinds of vitamins have been named "A," "B," and "C."

Vitamin "A" is a mysterious element in food, without which children cannot grow, but which grown folks also need. Shortage of vitamin "A" leads to disease of the eye skin, kidneys, and may cause bad teeth, diarrhoea, pellagra and other ailments. As a rule, seeds of all kinds are rather deficient in vitamin "A," although green peas contain appreciable amounts. Leafy plants on the other hand, are valuable foods in this regard. Spinach and chard are probably the richest of the common leafy foods in this element; lettuce ranks next, with cabbage holding third place.

The roots and tubers vary, sweet potatoes and carrots ranking high, while white or Irish potato, sweet but a small amount, and it is doubtful if beets, rutabaga and parsnips contain appreciable amounts. Tomatoes, however, are very rich in vitamin "A" and Hubbard squash is also a valuable source. Little work has been done on the fruits but there is evidence that apples, bananas and oranges contain small amounts of this vitamin.

Vitamin "B" is guardian of good digestion and proper functioning of the liver and other glands. This vitamin is found in the germ and branny portion of cereals. In the milling of wheat, however, this vitamin is so completely removed that the best grades of flour are entirely lacking. This does not mean, however, that we should condemn the white breads, starchy foods, white rice, etc.; it merely means that we must choose our foods intelligently and eat more vegetables.

Potatoes, sweet and white, contain appreciable amounts of vitamin "B," although the turnip and onion are more valuable in this regard. The beetroot contains a fair amount although its leaves appear to be much richer. This vitamin is also found in the tomato, cabbage, lettuce, parsley and the lowly dandelion, the tomato being especially valuable.

While many fruits have not been studied, it is probably safe to state that most fruit juices contain appreciable amounts of vitamin "B." It is likewise probably true that nuts are valuable sources of this vitamin, inasmuch as all nuts that have been studied contain appreciable amounts.

Vitamin "C" prevents disease and promotes the general health. Lack of it gives the skin a bad color and makes the heart weak. It has long been known that lemons, limes, oranges and fresh fruits were curative in scurvy. It has only been in recent years that we have understood that this curative effect was due to vitamin "C." While oranges have been used for a number of years in the treatment of infantile scurvy, it is only recently that it has become the common practice to supply orange juice to infants as part of the regular feeding practice. More recently it has been discovered that tomato juice is practically equal to the juice of the orange in this regard, and many physicians in the poorer districts of the large cities are prescribing strained tomato juice in place of orange juice. The juice of canned tomatoes seems to be very satisfactory for this purpose, indicating that the canning process is not particularly destructive as far as vitamin "C" is concerned. Berries are known to have scurvy-curing properties, although little investigation work has been done.

The Swedish turnip or rutabaga is very valuable as a source of vitamin "C" and the same is true of the carrot. Young carrots are apparently more valuable than old carrots and this appears to be true for many vegetables. As a rule, it is probably safe to state that the vitamin content of vegetables is highest at the time that the vegetable is most prized from the standpoint of tenderness and taste. Potatoes, onions and parsnips are also considered valuable. Antiscorbutic foods, Rhubarb, lettuce and cauliflower must also be included in the list, while lettuce of cabbage salad and "dew" will be glad to know that raw cabbage is one of the best sources of vitamin "C" that we have. Tomatoes have the three kinds of vitamins necessary to human health. Most

vegetables have one or two but seldom all three.

It is probably best to eat our fruits and vegetables in the fresh form when it is possible to do so. There is little, however, to be feared from the usual methods of canning and cooking. If we eat a sufficient amount of vegetables and fruits throughout the year, it will not matter if a small percentage of the vitamins are destroyed in the cooking process. As a rule, long continued heating or cooking is considered undesirable, and should be excluded as far as possible.

It is not necessary that we be vegetarians. We should be reasonable and sensible and not faddists. Every diet, especially that of growing children, should contain milk, butter, eggs, fresh vegetables and fresh fruits. If we expect to obtain the best results, various fruit and vegetable canning recipe books have been issued from time to time, but the best that has recently come to my attention is that issued by the Fruit Branch of the Dominion Department of Agriculture.

These booklets contain recipes which have been thoroughly tested, are practical and economical. They may be had free upon application to the Fruit Commissioner, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

## Perils In Europe

The Trend of Affairs Seems to Justify Apprehension

What is to be the outcome of this situation? No one can consider it without grave concern for peace. The withdrawal of diplomatic relations with Germany is threatened by both France and Belgium. If Cuno does not disavow the acts of sabotage, there is justice in the demand, but the threat is another step towards an actual state of war. Germany is disarmed, but a nation of 60,000,000 people, jealous of their independence, will find a means to fight it attacked. Great Britain cannot make an independent agreement with Germany without breaking up the entente, incurring the enmity of France, and in effect allying herself with Germany. The rupture of the entente would leave the Treaty of Versailles, with all its vast ramifications, without support. The trend of affairs justifies apprehension and the Americans cannot afford to ignore it.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

## Few Rented Farms in Canada

Census Also Shows Average Increase of 40 Acres in Size

There has been an increase of nearly 40 acres in size of the average Canadian farm during the last census decade, according to a preliminary report on the results of the agricultural census issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. The average farm in Canada in 1931 was 152.23 acres. In 1921 it was 138.35 acres. There was an increase during the decade in number of occupied farms of one acre and over from 684,505 to 711,000, and in the area of occupied farms from 109,000,000 to 111,000,000 acres. Of the total of 711,000 occupied farms in Canada in 1931, no less than 615,180 were occupied by the owner or manager. Those occupied by a tenant were 55,918, and those occupied by part owners and part tenant 33,982.

## Rush to Camps

A record year is expected in the lumber industry of Quebec and Ontario. At present an average of 150 to 200 men are leaving each week to work in lumber camps, where wages are running from \$40 to \$50 a month, an increase of \$10 to \$20 a month over last year.

## The One Exception

"Is this an exclusive hotel?" "The last word in exclusiveness. However, I believe it's permissible to address the head clerk without the formality of an introduction."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

## Try This: It May Work

Teacher—"What is the best conductor of electricity?" Student—"Why-er." Teacher—"Correct."

There are houses still standing in Nuremberg, Bavaria, that were built in the year 1090.

The man who never has time to vote is the one who says "they" are ruining the country.

About 10,000 varieties of fish are known. London's annual dish of meat is about 400,000 tons.

## Cheese and Butter Scoring Contest

Results of Contest Held this Year Are Announced

In the Educational Cheese and Butter Scoring Contests—conducted by the Dominion Dairy and Cold Storage Branch on the same lines as in the past three years—in May, June and July, Nova Scotia stood at the head for flavor of butter with an average score of 42.16, and Saskatchewan in workmanship with a score of 52.81. Saskatchewan was second in flavor with an average score of 42.15. Manitoba was third, Alberta fourth, Ontario fifth, Quebec sixth, New Brunswick seventh, British Columbia eighth, and Prince Edward Island ninth. In workmanship, after Saskatchewan, the order was: Quebec, Nova Scotia, Manitoba, Alberta, British Columbia, New Brunswick, Prince Edward Island, the last mentioned having an average score of 54.30, and Ontario at the foot with 53.68. In cheese the standing for flavor was in the following order: Ontario, Prince Edward Island, Quebec, New Brunswick, Alberta. In workmanship the order was: New Brunswick, Ontario, Quebec, Prince Edward Island and Alberta.

## An Early Fall?

Weather Experts Are Again Speculating On Effect of Icebergs

Existence of abnormal ice fields in the North Atlantic and in Hudson Bay has been verified by the U.S. Hydrographic and Geodetic Survey Offices. In the early season icebergs were sighted farther south than ever before, and ships were warned to alter their courses. The failure of the sun to melt the usual amount of ice and thus compel recession of the Arctic refrigeration to the usual distance north, is ascribed to the late spring and the heavy snow which swept across New England and northward late last winter and early in the spring. The sun is already more than half way back from its annual northern trip, with the result that the unusual accumulations of snow and ice have not been melted. This accumulated cold of the Arctic has a good start on its yearly journey southward, a fact that presages an early fall, according to some weather experts.

## Tourists Bring Money

British Columbia has reached the peak of the biggest tourist season in her history, and it is estimated that as a result of the enormous travel and the expenditure of transients while in the province, the submer will be worth at least \$30,000,000.

The white of an egg applied to a burn or scald is very soothing and healing.

## British Market Cattle Requirements

Shipping Chilled Meat Not as Profitable as Livestock Shipments

An experiment in shipping chilled meat to Britain, conducted by the Federal Department of Agriculture, has led to the conclusion that, all things considered, it is more profitable to ship store cattle or fat cattle for immediate slaughter than to kill in Canada and ship the meat chilled. Evidence seems to show that the most remunerative method is to ship such cattle as fit requirements, for sale as short-keep or long-keep stores; although well-finished calves, uniform as to size, weight and finish, will meet a good demand if shipped to immediate slaughter. Smooth-poled, well-bred steers weighing from a thousand to twelve hundred and fifty pounds, live weight, best fill the requirements for stores.

## To Encourage Immigration

Would Have the Advantages of Canada Heralded Abroad

Stressing the need of immigration to Canada at the present time, A. B. Lawson, of Winnipeg, in his presidential address delivered in Montreal, before the 17th annual convention of the Life Underwriters' Association of Canada, declared that it is now time for the advantages of Canada to be loudly heralded in those countries whence desirable immigrants may be attracted. He expressed gratification at the soundness of Canadian insurance institutions as compared with "financial misfortunes befalling other corporations," and pointed out that the aggregate insurance risk borne for Canadians today exceeded \$3,500,000,000.

## Demand For Canadian Flour

Flour mills at Medicine Hat report continued activity in the foreign market for Canadian flour. The Lake of the Woods Milling Company have received an order for 45 tons of flour for China, while the Hedley Shaw mill has received an order for 25 tons from the same source. The Maple Leaf Milling Company have booked space for 100 tons for export to China during August, September, October and November.

## The Shoemaker's Last

The word "last" as used in the shoemaker's trade has nothing to do with "last" in the sense of latest, but is derived from an old Saxon root, a "last" meaning a footprint, or shape of a foot. Though the word dropped out of general speech centuries ago, it has, by some freak of language, been mounted by the Ojibway word meaning the foot shape on which the shoemaker builds up his boot.

Barometers were invented in 1626.

# Early Exploration Work Of Sir Alexander Mackenzie In The Canadian Northwest

The life of Sir Alexander Mackenzie is a splendid example of vigor, perseverance in the face of great difficulties, and as such is an incentive to young men of today to stick to their tasks until they win out. He started his career as a clerk in a counting house in Montreal. Sent out into the wilderness by the North West Fur Co. to trade with the Indians he displayed great courage and resource in battling with rivals. His reward was to be banished to Fort Chipewyan on Lake Athabasca. This was enough to discourage an ordinary man but Mackenzie emerged from the polar wilderness bearing a name that ranks with Cartier, La Salle and other intrepid pioneers.

Away at his lonely post he dreamed of discovering a North West Passage between the Atlantic and the Pacific. Flowing northwards he saw a mighty river, with a large tributary entering it from the far mountains of the west. To explore these rivers became his dominating ambition. Assuming all risks and costs of the expedition himself, he set out in June, 1789, on a voyage down the Athabasca River. Through fog, rain and wild the canoes were headed north for nine days until Slave Lake was reached. Here a camp of Dog Rib Indians were found who sought to discourage Mackenzie's men from proceeding further by dolefully prophesying that they would die of old age before they reached the ocean, that impassable falls were ahead and that monstrous tribes lived on the banks who would seek to kill them. Mackenzie's Indian guide refused to go on, so he was boldly put into a canoe and forced ahead at the end of a paddle. One night, however, he gave his watchers the slip. Mackenzie was forced to stop at an encampment of strange Indians and, failing to persuade any to act as guide, he seized one savage and hoisted him into a big canoe, making signs that he was to follow the way.

For forty days they thus pushed on northward and Mackenzie's companions feared that they would be trapped in the icy wilderness if they did not soon return. He asked them to go on for another seven days.

Next day they came upon a deserted Eskimo village and their spirits rose for they thought that they were near the sea. Carried on by the swift current at a rate of several miles a day they soon reached the mouth of the mighty river. Here, to their great delight, they saw a school of

whales spouting. They knew then that their journey was at an end—they had reached the sea. Erecting a post on shore, Mackenzie engraved the date on it—July 14, 1789, with the names of all the party.

It had taken them six weeks to reach the Arctic. It took him eight to return for they had to battle against the current all the way. In many places they had to track the canoes by a tow line, this work being greatly impeded by the beaver meadows along the shore, in which the men sawed their way.

Fort Chipewyan on Sept. 12, after a hundred and two days' absence. Mackenzie had proved that there was no North West Passage, and he had also discovered the great river which bears his name.

His next endeavor was to explore the Peace River, and in May, 1793, he set out. In a birch canoe thirty feet long, with Alexander Mackay as first assistant, six Canadian voyageurs and two Indian hunters.

The Peace River was a raging torrent, flooded by the spring thaw, and the crew had hard work in beating upstream. For a week they struggled on and then the mountains were reached. The difficulties of travel increased for the river rushed between precipices in a sheet of foaming foam. By means of an eighty-foot tow line they pulled the canoe through the rapids, jumping from rock to rock or cutting a footpath with axes in the face of the precipice.

The men rebelled at this kind of work and openly asserted that they wanted to go back. Mackenzie paid no heed to their murmurs but went ahead to river the gorge walls, they were partaking of food. The prospect was not bright. As far as he could see stretched a succession of cataraacts fifty feet wide, waited in by great precipices. No canoe could possibly pass such a river. He asked Mackay ahead to see how far the rapids extended and found that a portage of nine miles across the mountains was needed.

The canoe was pulled up the precipice by a crew of burlesque labor and the nine miles was painfully not over. When they launched the canoe on the river again they saw another range of mountains ahead of them. All that kept the men from turning back was the thought of that awful nine-mile portage.

Thus far there had been no sign of Indians, but as they proceeded upstream a number of savages suddenly appeared brandishing spears.

The men were panic-stricken but Mackenzie stepped boldly ashore and offered the Indians presents. They became friendly and told him that he was wearing a portage across the Divide. Next day he came to the end of Peace River and discovered the source of the Fraser. He was the first white man to cross the Divide in the north.

Embarking on the Fraser, Mackenzie followed the river southward for a week. Meeting with more Indians he learned that there was a short way around to the salt water. The canoe was left on the river bank and the journey overland commenced. The going was hard over slippery rocks and was much obstructed by fallen trees. On the first day they only made twenty miles. Two weeks later they came across totem poles of cedar and Mackenzie surmised that they were those of the coast tribes. Their feet were cut and swollen, their boots worn out and their clothing torn to shreds and they were glad to embark on a stream in a native canoe. Past many Indian camps they went until at last they reached the blue sea—the sea that so many explorers had tried to reach but failed.

Mackenzie was in desperate straits, however. Provisions had run short and ammunition was almost gone, while savages were all around them, evidently none too friendly.

On a large rock Mackenzie painted these words, "Alexander Mackenzie from Canada, by land, the twenty-second day of July, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-three."

The explorers then started homeward. The difficulties of the return trip were just as numerous and at one time the men so completely lost heart that they threw everything they were carrying into the river. It took much patience and persuasion on Mackenzie's part to revive their spirits. On Aug. 24, they reached Fort Chipewyan again.

Thus did Mackenzie explore two mighty rivers and cross the Rockies. For his services he was knighted by the English King and the remainder of his life was spent quietly in Scotland.

"Do you know how the rats get in here?" "Naw!" "Uh-huh!"

## SCIENCE OF A LIFETIME KICKED TO DEATH



A Nipigon trout full of "Pep"

The Nipigon River, which empties into Lake Superior 65 miles east of Port Arthur, has been called the "Aristocrat of Trouting," because it is the world's greatest trout stream. In its 40-mile rush from Lake Nipigon to Lake Superior, it drops 250 feet and in the cold "white water" of its rapids and at the foot of its numerous falls square-tailed, speckled brook trout grow to incredible size and give the angler the battle of a lifetime. Five and six-pound trout are common and the first one caught after the new bungalow camp built by the Canadian Pacific was opened on the Nipigon River, weighed six and one-half pounds. Last summer, W. C. Liebert, editor of the Scientific Angler, caught one weighing six and three-quarter pounds

Upper picture—Indians guides and their families attended the opening of the Nipigon River, Bungalow Camp. Nipigon brook trout, world's record, 14½ lbs.

and four which together tipped the scales at ten pounds. Every day a number of his party of three caught ten pounds of trout, the legal limit of Ontario's fishing laws. Liebert's big one, mounted by the Ojibway man, was on a framed piece of white birch bark, was two feet long. But big as these trout were, the Nipigon has done even better. Several years ago, Dr. J. W. Cook, of Fort William, Ont., caught the world's record speckled trout in this stream while fishing with a live minnow. "This 'grand-daddy of them all' weighed fourteen and one-half pounds, was more than two and a half feet long and eleven and one-half inches across. One day Senator Frye, of Maine, told Prof. Louis Agassiz, the noted naturalist, that he had once caught

brook trout weighing four or five pounds. Agassiz replied that there were not real speckled trout of that size. Whereupon Frye caught a five-pounder and sent it to the professor with the question, "Professor, what kind of a bug is this?" The science of a lifetime kicked to death by a dead fish," was Prof. Agassiz's humble reply. Among the famous men who have caught big trout on the Nipigon were Theodore Roosevelt, James Bryce, the Prince of Wales and Rev. Dr. Henry Van Dyke. Now that the new Canadian Pacific bungalow camp with its central clubhouse surrounded by rustic bungalows is at the "exclusive" fishermen and their families Nipigon promises to be more popular than ever.





Blairmore Lodge, No. 68, meets every Tuesday night at 8 p.m., in the Oddfellows' hall. Officers for the ensuing term: N.G., M. B. Hoffman; V.G., G. L. S. Dawson; Rec. Sec., E. M. Even; Fin. Sec., H. James; Treas., J. Montalbetti.

Crows' Nest Encampment No. 8, meets on the second and fourth Wednesdays of the month in the I.O.O.F. hall at 8 p.m. Officers for ensuing term: W. Patterson, C.P.; James Crowder, S.W.; R. Oliver, R.S. and P.S.; Jos. Montalbetti, Treas.

Crowley Rebekah Lodge, No. 56, meets the first and third Thursdays of the month at 8 p.m. Officers: Sister Evans, N.G.; Sister Joyce, V.G.; Sister James, F.S.; Sister Hood, F.S.; Sister N. Evans, Treas.

Bellevue Lodge No. 118, meets every Monday night at 8 p.m. Officers: H. Peters, N.G.; P. Beale, V.G.; W. Goodwin, Sec.-Treas.

Armistice Encampment No. 17, Bellevue, meets the first and third Wednesdays of the month. Officers: A. B. Carr, C.P.; Stephen Berry, H. P. Harry-Joyson, S.W.; Fred Padgett, J.W.; E. Escoffier, treasurer; Charles W. Ray, Sec., Box 6.

Ray of Hope Rebekah Lodge No. 67, meets the first and third Wednesdays of the month. Officers: Sister Litherland, N.G.; Sister Blake, V.G.; Sister Blake, R.S.; Sister Christie, F.S.; Sister Goodwin, Treas.

Visitors of the Order are cordially invited to attend the above lodges.

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A little colored boy, clothes removed, was splashing around in his heart's content in a public reservoir. "Hey, come out of that, you young rascal," shouted the keeper. "Don't you know that the people in town have to drink that water?"

The youngster dived under, came up, and innocently replied: "Oh, dat's all right, mister, I ain't used no soap."

Mrs. Corse, of Calgary, addressed the congregation of the Union church on Sunday evening last in the interest of Prohibition. Following her talk, a local committee was formed to assist in the campaign. Mrs. Corse is a member of the Calgary School Board and the National Council of Women, and is an eloquent speaker, but is too apt at repeating to the public private conversations not intended for her hearing.

Ten thousand cases of Scotch liquor have arrived in Winnipeg—just in time to save the lives of thousands of good people of that province. Pretty well every one in that province were sick enough for medical consultation the day the medicine arrived.

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"Smile," commanded the photographer. "You look too mournful."

"But, I'm going to use this in my business advertising," the subject protested.

"Well, don't you think it would be better for your business if you didn't look so solemn?"

"No," was the surprising reply. "Who in thunder would hire a grinning undertaker?"

William Boyd is renewing old acquaintances here; after an absence of several years. "Bill" was formerly prominent in local sport circles, taking an active part in baseball, hockey and general athletics. Since leaving here he joined the army and went overseas, and since that has joined the army of benedicts and shows no desire for an armistice in that fight.

The world's most famous rug, worth about \$250,000, is in the South Kensington museum. It is known as the Arbatul rug and was made in a little town of that name. This carpet measures 39 by 17 feet and contains thirty million knots. It took sixteen years to make.

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### AMERICAN UNION PUBLISHERS

ALLEGED EXPOSURES

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—Collection of funds from American people of high and low degrees for the promotion of social, economic and political revolution has become an organized industry in the last two years. It is charged by the United Mine Workers of America, in an article of a series which purports to be an exposure of a far-reaching plot to spread the dictatorship of the Communist internationale at Moscow over this continent.

Laborers, society leaders, school teachers, and well-meaning philanthropists, ignorant of the menace they are promoting, add millions of dollars annually to the war chest of the underground workers for revolution in America, it is charged.

Capture of the miners' union is alleged to be the first aim of Communist agents in this country, as a step towards establishment of the "One Big Union" principle in all industrial labor groups. After that, nationalization of the coal mines under the soviet form of rule as a preliminary of other industrial nationalizations, then forcible overthrow of the governments in the United States and Canada and establishment of Communism after the Moscow pattern.

An outstanding feature of this programme, which failed of wide fulfillment, is alleged in the "exposure" to have been the unauthorized steel and coal miners strike in Nova Scotia, which was ended only after the president of the miners ousted Dan Livingstone, president, and J. B. McLachlan, secretary, of the district.

President Tom Moore, of the Dominion Trades and Labor congress, was very noncommittal when approached regarding the above despatch. Mr. Moore stated emphatically that he did not wish to precipitate any discussion on Nova Scotia situation on the floor of the congress and said he did not know whether it would come up or not. He would not enter into any discussion regarding funds collected.

Mr. Silby Barrett, international representative of the mine workers and provisional president of District 26 Nova Scotia, is in the city, as also is J. B. McLachlan, but they could not be reached late last night.—Vancouver Sun.

A second meeting was held at the school house on Tuesday evening for the purpose of organizing night classes. Attendance was small and prospects none too bright. A similar circumstance prevailed at Coleman Monday night, and judging by the lack of interest, it seems hardly probable that classes will be operated in either Blairmore or Coleman.

At Bellevue keener interest is manifested and it is likely that quite a number of miners and others will avail themselves of the courses offered practically free by the government.

It will be remembered that just a few years ago very successful night classes were conducted at Bellevue. At that time Mr. A. J. Kelly, then chief instructor of the public school, was principal. All his pupils are today holding prominent positions in The Pass and elsewhere.

### THREE IS A CROWD

Duck—What did that young couple say when you presented them with the second set of triplets?

Stork—They said they could take a little joke now and then as well as anyone, but that they thought I was carrying the kidding too far.

"I'm not going to talk long this evening," said the speaker. "I've been cured of that. The other night I was making a speech when a man entered the hall and went to a seat in the front row. I had not been talking an hour when I noticed he was becoming fidgety. Finally he arose and asked: 'Shay, how long you ben tairin'?'"

"About four years, my friend," replied. "Well," he remarked, as he sat down, "I'll stick around; you must be near through."

An order-in-council has been passed in New Brunswick to prohibit the operation of export-liquor houses after October 1st.

### COWLEY HAPPENINGS

Miss N. McWilliams was a recent visitor to Frank.

In spite of the shortage of farm laborers, the harvesting is moving along splendidly.

The school here is closed at present, on account of a slight epidemic of chicken pox.

James Nellis, who has been night operator here for several weeks, has gone to Vulcan.

Another baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Milton Robinson on Saturday. Congratulations!

A dance was held here on Thursday. A five-piece orchestra from Shelby was in attendance.

A Doukhobor man got badly hurt with several bones broken when in a mix-up with a bunch of frightened horses, while doing some hauling.

On Monday night a social evening was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Swart, in honor of Rev. Mr. Munro. The evening passed off very pleasantly with old-time songs and games, stories, etc. The contest of words was won by Miss Muriel Murphy and Dr. Donald, while the booby prizes were awarded to Mrs. Fred Tustian and Mr. Cooper. Mr. Munro was presented with a fountain pen, heavily fringed with gold. Mr. Munro left on Tuesday morning's train for his home in Victoria. We join in best wishes for him, with the hope that he may return to this field of labor for another year.

BLAIRMORE GOLF CLUB

The return match between Blairmore and Fernie was held at the local course over the week end and Blairmore unfortunately lost for the first time this season by the small margin of one-quarter of a point.

The last of the inter-club games of the season will take place at Pincher Creek this week end. Blairmore won the first games at Blairmore but Pincher Creek are hard to beat on their home course.

The results against Fernie were as follows:

D. G. Mackenzie 0, A. Watson 0. J. B. Wilson 1, S. Herchermer 0. G. L. Stevens 0, H. Hayne 1.

A. J. Kelly 0, J. Irvine 1 1/4. L. P. Robert 1 1/4, H. Suddaby 0. M. G. Rhynas 1 1/4, Mr. Kastner 0. W. W. Scott 1, J. Wallace 0.

J. H. Farmer 0, D. M. Mitchell 1. W. Bird 0, B. Wilson 1. J. Crowder 1, G. Wood 0.

Mrs. W. Bird 0, J. L. Gates 1 1/4. F. J. Smith 0, W. Watmough 1. J. R. Smith 0, A. B. Sanborne 1. W. Goddard 1, G. Ault 0.

H. B. Hoar 0, J. Shand 1 1/4. S. J. Lamey 1 1/4, G. Appleyard 0. Totals—Blairmore 7 1/4, Fernie 8 1/4.

D. G. Mackenzie and J. B. Wilson 1 1/4. A. Watson and S. Herchermer 0. J. L. Stevens and A. J. Kelly 0, H. Hayne and J. Irvine 1 1/4.

M. G. Rhynas and W. W. Scott 0, H. Suddaby and M. Kastner 0. L. P. Robert and J. H. Farmer 1 1/4. J. Wallace and D. M. Mitchell 0.

W. Bird and J. Crowder 1, B. Wilson and G. Wood 1 1/4.

E. W. Whitehead and S. J. Lamey 0, J. L. Gates and W. Watmough 1 1/4. J. R. Smith and F. J. Smith 0, A. B. Sanborne and G. Ault 0.

W. Goddard and H. B. Hoar 0, J. Shand and G. Appleyard 0.

Totals—Blairmore 11 1/4, Fernie 11 1/4.

The Channel Islands are getting better and better every day, from the point of view of the earthly bachelors. There is no income tax, no corporation tax, only a nominal state tax, no early closing hours, no prohibition; and now the legislature has refused to pass a bill which would allow women over the age of thirty to sit as members of the house of deputies.

"The new garage and stable in connection with the government building is nearing completion and is quite attractive. Heat connection is all that is necessary now. The building contains about a half dozen horse stalls and garage space for several cars."

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We are now operating our repair shop on the Flat Rate Plan. By this plan the automobile owner knows what the job is going to cost before the work is commenced. The following are a few prices on Chevrolet repairs:

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Mexico has increased her expenditure on education nearly ten-fold during the past few years and has allotted vastly greater sums to this purpose than to the army and navy. Much land held for speculative purposes has been nationalized, and the country's natural resources in oil and other minerals have been declared national property. These departures from the principles of sound economics clearly call for the intervention of the civilized powers.—U.P.A.

On and after October 1st is will not be permissible to attach the ordinary postal stamp to cheques and receipts. Instead, excise stamps must be used and can be obtained from the local collector of customs. The use of postage stamps after October 1st will place one liable to a penalty, and a hardship will be imposed upon the citizens of outlying towns that have not a customs house. For instance it is made necessary that residents of Coleman, Bellevue, Hillebert, Passburg and Burmis will have to apply to Blairmore for stamps.

According to figures provided by the preliminary report on mineral production in Canada for the first six months of 1923, Alberta has produced in the six months a total of 3,312,991 tons of coal, compared with 2,258,295 in the same period of 1922.



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## An Excellent Proposal

Hon. Charles Hughes, Secretary of State for the United States, was the guest of honor recently at a dinner in Montreal given by the Dominion Government and in the course of his speech offered a suggestion which it is to be hoped will not be allowed to remain merely as a suggestion but become an actuality in the international relations between the two countries.

Expressing the belief that pressing economic rivalries of nations would, like armaments, be kept within reasonable limits by fair international agreements "at no distant day," Mr. Hughes went on to say that all things are possible if nations are willing to be just to each other, and in a personal word to his Canadian audience he suggested the creation of a "permanent body of our most distinguished citizens" to act as a commission for the United States and Canada.

Elaborating on this suggestion, Mr. Hughes said: "We have at this time under our treaty of 1909, relating to boundary waters and questions arising along the boundary between Canada and the United States, an International Joint Commission with powers of investigation and report within the scope of the treaty. While I do not undertake to speak officially upon this subject, I may take the liberty of stating as my personal view that we should do much to foster our friendly relations and to remove sources of misunderstanding and possible irritation. If we were to have a permanent body of our most distinguished citizens acting as a foundation, with equal representation of both the United States and Canada, to which automatically there would be referred for examination and report as to facts, questions arising as to the bearing of action by either Government upon the interest of the other, to the end that, each reasonably protecting its own interests, would be so advised that it would avoid action inflicting unnecessary injury upon its neighbor. We rejoice in our long friendship and in permanent peace, and it would be a short-sighted view that either of us has any real interest which is to be promoted without regard to the well-being of the other and the considerate treatment which conditions good will. We have formed the habit of peace; we think in terms of peace. Differences arise, but our confidence in each other's sense of justice and peaceful intent remains unshaken and dominates our purposes and plans. The only pathway of peace is that in which our peoples are working together."

The truth of these observations calls for neither emphasis, nor reiteration. Any other condition between these two great English-speaking neighbors would be impossible and unthinkable. In matters where each country has a proprietary interest we have always succeeded in reaching an amicable settlement of any differences of opinion which have arisen.

But there have been occasions when, in dealing with matters of purely domestic concern and policy to one country, decisions have been reached and actions taken which have had an injurious effect upon the other. For example, it is well within the power and jurisdiction of the United States to prohibit the export of coal to Canada, and even admitting that certain circumstances might indicate that such prohibition would be in the interests of the United States, it would spell hardship and even ruin to untold Canadian interests. In like manner it might be advanced that prohibition of export of pulp and pulpwod from Canada would result in giving a further stimulus to the manufacture of paper in the Dominion, the employment of more people, and the development of export of a finished article instead of a raw or semi-manufactured product. But it would impose unnecessary hardship and loss upon the United States.

The adoption of such policies would lead to friction-irritation and possibly result in a general war of economic retaliation which would be bad for and mean loss to both countries. Therefore, while it is unthinkable that either country should for one moment relinquish an iota of its economic independence or control over its own domestic affairs and policies, it should become the accepted policy of each country to consider the effect on the other of any fiscal, tariff, embargo or other economic policy it may contemplate adopting, and in the framing of such policy endeavor, while protecting and advancing its own interests, not to do injustice to or work any hardship on the other.

Even without any formal treaty of reciprocity between the United States and Canada it should be possible for each to reciprocate with the other in all matters wherein the interests of both are involved, and Mr. Hughes' suggestion for the creation of a permanent body of representative citizens of both countries to inquire into and report upon questions coming within the category for the guidance of the two Governments is an excellent one, worthy of acceptance. It is to be hoped, therefore, that the suggestion will not be forgotten and allowed to die.

## An Uncommon Adventure

Old Violin Had a Remarkable Series of Mishaps

An 85-year-old violin, made in Prague in 1837, has just been having a remarkable series of adventures. The instrument, which was valued at \$200, was stolen while its owner was on a tour in Western Canada. It was finally traced to Montreal by the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, where it was recovered. While it

was being taken back to Canada, however, the case in which it was being carried overturned and the precious cargo was smashed into eighty-five pieces.

Nothing daunted, the musician sent the wreckage to an expert in Washington, who undertook to patch it up. This has now been completed, and so skillfully has the work been done that the tone has in no way been impaired.

## B.C. Sawmills Are Busy

Regular Steamship Lines Unable to Handle All Lumber Shipments

British Columbia sawmills have orders for 1,000,000 feet of lumber to be cut by the middle of October, and 90 per cent of this has been booked for several months. Vancouver Island mills are working on an order for 21,000,000 feet for the United Kingdom, in addition to which they expect to share in an \$800,000 contract for Australia. Boats of regular steamship lines have been unable to handle all the business offering; making it necessary to secure special charters.

## Origin of a Great Idea

The cut on the bottom of trousers came in this way. A Scotchman had been out in a rain and had turned up his trousers at the bottom. When he returned he found he had lost a sixpence. He looked everywhere for it, but in vain. "That night, when retiring, the coin fell out of the fold. The next day he had all the trousers 'cut' and the tailor, discovering the reason, soon built up a big business."

Minard's Liniment for Headache

## Hidden Treasures

Gold and Jewels That Have Been Buried in Davy Jones's Locker

Reports that divers are about to begin operations in an attempt to discover the exact whereabouts of the liner Egypt, sunk off the French coast last year, and to recover precious gold that went down with the ship have prompted a French newspaper to re-examine the many treasures hidden away deep down in the sea. Although it is impossible to estimate the amount of gold lost in such circumstances, there are other things, of which the average person is unaware, buried in Davy Jones's locker in little efforts to recover which huge fortunes have been spent.

One of the most precious gems ever lost lies several fathoms deep off the Brittany coast, consigned to the sea when two boats came into collision in 1905. Known as the Blue Diamond of the Red Sultan, it was one of the property of Marie Antoinette, and others before her, who similarly met tragic fates. The last owner was drowned when the gem was lost.

It was first the property of Abdul Hamid, who acquired it during the French Revolution. Although this stone is not likely to claim any further victims, it certainly has ruined many fortunes, as it is estimated that searches instituted to recover it already have cost close to 50,000,000 francs.

## SYMPTOMS OF DEBILITY

How to Tell Whether Your Blood Needs Revitalizing

The symptoms of general debility vary according to the cause, but weakness is always present, a tendency to perspire and fatigue easily, ringing in the ears, sometimes black spots passing before the eyes, weak back, vertigo, wakefulness caused by inability to stop thinking and unrefreshing sleep. The cause of the trouble may be some drain on the system, or it may be mental or physical overwork, sometimes insufficient nutrition due to digestive disturbance.

If you have any or all of these symptoms try building up the blood with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. As the new blood courses through your veins there should be an increase in your appetite, a better digestion, and soon a renewal of strength and vigor. You can get these pills through any dealer in medicine or by mail, post-paid, at 50c a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

## Live Poultry Shipment

An experimental shipment of 2,500 live hens, culled from poultry flocks in Southwestern Manitoba for Montreal, was recently made with a view to ascertaining whether or not the sending of old birds alive to distant markets is practical.

## Baby Cutting Teeth With Very Sick With Diarrhoea

When the baby starts to cut its teeth, especially during the hot weather, then is the time that the poor mother is under the stress and strain of great anxiety.

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Mrs. C. M. Myers, Clansville, Man., writes: "My baby girl was very sick with diarrhoea when she was cutting her teeth. I tried several different remedies, but nothing did her any good. She was getting worse when my mother sent me out a bottle of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. I gave her a few doses and the next day she was much better, and in a couple more days she was as well as ever."

Now, I always keep 'Dr. Fowler's' in the house and recommend it to all those troubled with diarrhoea." Price 50c a bottle; put up only by The T. Millburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

## Furs From the Arctic

A shipment of furs valued at \$300,000 arrived in Edmonton recently. This was the season's catch of the Arctic furs from the Mackenzie River of the North Trading Company and the Lanson Company. It is claimed that these furs are unsurpassed in the world for quality.

A girl in Johannesburg recently ran for fifty-six hours. The report doesn't say whether the man got away or not. London Daily News.

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## Improving Livestock Markets

Canadian Bacon Advances in Britain and Hogs Stronger on the Home Market

In the Dominion Livestock Branch market reports dated August 16, there were several gratifying features. On the British market, Canadian bacon was reported to have advanced ten shillings per long hundredweight during the week, and to be in good demand, leanest and lean being quoted at 115 shillings, prime at 110 to 115 shillings, and hales at 120 shillings. American bacon was quoted at 85 to 85 shillings and Danish at from 119 to 121 shillings. Canadian and Danish quotations are nearer than they have been for some time. Our own market has reported hogs stronger, the quotations generally being a dollar in advance of the previous week. At Montreal various sales of officially graded select hogs were made at \$12.25 per hundred. The report states that drivers and other shippers had no difficulty in selling select bacon hogs at a much higher figure than ungraded lots, and that the question of selling on a quality basis now rests with the producer. Indications at the close of trading for the week pointed toward strong prices for immediate shipments.

The report from Montreal for the week ending August 16 also says there was keener interest apparent in the lamb market. Buyers for the American market state that it is their intention to ship lambs to Boston and New York as usual. Owing in large measure to lack of culling and altering as well as to lack of weight and finish, the average quality of the lambs was not as good as it might be. The average quality of breeding, however, appears to be improving each year. The most desirable lambs should weigh around 80 to 85 pounds at the market and should be docked and either ewes or wethers.

## Avoidable Source of Waste

Progress Made Toward Eliminating Bruising of Commercial Livestock

Further progress has been made in the efforts of the livestock industry to bring about the elimination of bruising in commercial livestock marketed in the province of Ontario, through a meeting of the recently formed Ontario Association for the Elimination of Bruising, held at Toronto on September 10. The chairmanship of Mr. R. S. Arkell, Dominion Livestock Commissioner, Committee representing the Producers, Shippers, Packing Industry, Livestock Commission, Pirms, Railway Companies, Stockyards, Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, and the Provincial and Federal Departments of Agriculture, reported progress. The necessary action to be taken will be based on the investigation of the causes of bruising, recently made through the Dominion Livestock Branch, and fully discussed at the meeting, each committee undertaking that phase of the campaign with which it is most closely concerned.

In view of the enormous financial loss to the producer each year, through this avoidable source of waste, action growing out of the meeting is promised every support.

## Canadian Flour for Jamaica

Canadian flour, because of their quality, are offering direct competition on the markets of the Dominion Republic, according to a report submitted to the Department of Trade and Commerce by G. R. Stevens, Canadian Trade Commissioner in Kingston, Jamaica. The need of advertising and exploiting a trade mark in this business is stressed by Mr. Stevens in his report.

A person "Poor Mrs. Anderson. I have a bad habit for you to be made a widow, but still there is a comfort for you." Widow—What is this address.

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## Has Valuable Secret

Rumanian Inventor Claims to be Able to Keep Harbors of Quebec and Montreal Open in Winter

Dimitrie Jostowitch, Rumanian inventor, who claims to be able to keep the harbors of Montreal and Quebec and Cabot Straits open for winter navigation, is asking the sum of \$2,000,000 as a recompense for his secrets. Mr. Jostowitch's plan for keeping the Cabot Straits open involves the use of a number of powerful electrically driven air blowers, which would be placed on the coast of Newfoundland and Cape Breton. They would be used to direct the course of the ice so as to keep the straits open.

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## U.S. Firms Want Whitefish Scales

By-Product Gives Glistening Appearance to Artificial Pearls

As a by-product of Alberta's fishing industry the scales of the whitefish are worth money, however, and a firm of manufacturers in Eastport, Maine, is anxious to purchase all that Alberta has to offer. The scales are used for the manufacture of fish essence, this compound being used to coat artificial pearls and is the material responsible for their glistening appearance.

At the present time the scales on the whitefish are a detriment to the fishing industry in which they are sold but from which there is no return, and it is estimated that should a business in fish scales be worked up it would mean a good deal to both the province and the fisheries.

The Oil of the People—Many oils have come and gone, but Dr. Thomas Electric Oil continues to maintain its position and increase its sphere of usefulness. Its sterling qualities have brought it to the front and kept it there, and it can truly be called the oil of the people. Thousands have benefited by it and would use no other preparation.

## Airplane Tests Show Night Flying Best

Rising Moisture Caused by Sun Makes "Bumps" that Aviators Fear

Scientific study and experiments extending over a year and a half have proved that conditions at night are much more favorable to flying than in the day. This has resulted in the success of elaborately protected night stretches in the recent sensational coast to coast mail flights.

"Tests have shown that treacherous 'bumps' are much less common at night. The temperature is much more smoothly and efficiently. The 'bumps' result from the sun's rays on moistened atmosphere arising from lakes, rivers, and even from forests, causing air currents to rise rapidly.

It also has been shown that the greater amount of oxygen in the air at night accelerates the motors. Seventy-five per cent of the flyers have expressed a preference for "night runs."

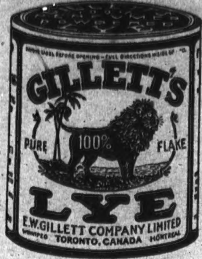
## The Easier Path

Advocate Abstinence For Britain In European Affairs

A wise man can seek a refuge from pressing troubles in some of the many mazes of his mind. In the same way, an Englishman like ours can find more shore than an outlet for his energies and its products. France has embarked on a great experiment, and perhaps it is best that she should be allowed to complete her enterprise. England has been following a policy of abstention in European affairs—London Morning Post.

## Higher Education in Canada

A preliminary report on higher education in Canada for the year ending June 30, 1922, issued by the Bureau of Statistics, shows that the combined registration of students in the universities and colleges of Canada totaled 60,686. Of this number, 42,364 were of university age, taking either regular courses or degrees, or taking short courses. The remaining 18,322 were preparatory students registered for the most part in colleges and affiliated secondary institutions not included among the colleges.



## Soldiers On Farms

Army of 18,000 Engaged in Tilling the Soil

One of the most gratifying interests evolved from Canada's share in the war is shown by the report of those of its citizens who exchanged their bayonets for plowshares and are making productive areas out of its vast prairies. An army of 18,000 of them are engaged in tilling over 3,000,000 acres, and the Soldier Settlement Board proves by the statement for 1922 that most substantial results have been achieved in all lines of agriculture, including livestock. Nothing proposed for the welfare of the country's defenders appears to have approached this institution in adding to the country's prosperity—The Hamilton Spectator.

## Machinery and Handicraft

Old Craft Pride Is Fast Dying Out Is Claim Made

The "disaffection" that exists in factories owing to the specialization necessary for mass production formed the subject of discussion at a meeting of the International Association of Public Employment Services held in Toronto. It was pointed out by various speakers that the "old craft pride" was fast dying out, as the days were gone when a workman could look upon a finished product and see in it the complete product of his hands. Nowadays, a workman had to devote his energy to turning out, in semi-automatic fashion, a small part of the whole article and the dreary monotony of his task gave rise to dissatisfaction.

## Queer Express Parcel

Price-Winning Bull Sent From Toronto To New Zealand

Mervale Beautiful Prize, a Jersey yearling bull, third prize winner at the Toronto exhibition, was shipped by express to Vancouver, where it was placed on a fast passenger boat for shipment to New Zealand. This is the first time in local history, cattle men say, that a prize animal bought at the exhibition has been shipped by express overseas.

The animal was sold to W. J. Hall, New Zealand.

## Old bachelors are men who have given marriage a serious thought.

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# Revolution In Spain Is Precipitated By Dissatisfaction In Army

Madrid.—Spain is in the travail of a revolution. A military coup d'état, originating in Barcelona, has spread rapidly through various districts and provinces of the country, and has aroused the deepest concern in the Government.

At the head of the movement is the Captain-General of Barcelona, Primo Rivera, a man of strong influence and powerful associations. Behind him are the officers of the army, who have been chafing for many months under the ignominy of the Moroccan campaign, and with the officers are the rank and file.

After protracted meetings of the cabinet, a message was sent to General Primo Rivera requesting him to abandon the movement for patriotic reasons, but he absolutely refused to do so. The Foreign Minister, Santiago Alba, has resigned from the ministry, as well as the Minister of Labor, Felix Arana.

Complete quiet reigns here. The people are pursuing their normal life. A few military are seen in the streets, and the police are, as usual, guarding the public buildings. It is declared that the military element in Madrid is maintaining a pacific attitude. Apparently the bourgeoisie was not affected, and there was no drop in Government securities, which are in demand to-day, but with few sales.

Spain's General Primo Rivera explains that his object is to relieve the country of the immoral policies of the present Government, and declared that the troops in Madrid and throughout Spain have for a decision by the King, removing the ministry, which is prejudicial to the nation.

Conditions are tranquil in various parts of Spain, although disturbed in some of the provinces, which are cut off from communications.

## Royalty Benefits By Lord Farquhar's Will

Bulk of Lord Steward's Estate Goes to Royal Family

London.—Lord Farquhar, who died recently, left the bulk of his £400,000 estate to the members of the British royal family. Half the estate will go to Princess Arthur of Connaught.

Lord Carnegie, the Earl of Southesk, will receive £250,000. To Prince George, youngest son of King George, is bequeathed £2,000. King George will get anything he may select from the residence of Earl Farquhar. Queen Mary is bequeathed the Earl's property at White Lodge, Richmond Park, the home of the Duke and Duchess of York.

The late Earl of Farquhar was formerly lord steward and master of the household of King Edward and King George.

## Tidal Wave Destroys Town

Fishing Village in Lower California Wiped Out

Mexicali, Lower California.—Wireless messages received here report the destruction by a tidal wave of San Jose de Cabo, a small fishing town on the west coast of Lower California, just above Cape San Lucas. The number of lives lost is not known.

Most of the 500 inhabitants of the town are believed to have escaped to higher ground when the tidal wave swept over the place, according to radio advices sent out by a steamer which cleared Cape Lucas shortly before the catastrophe.

Portage District Has First Snow

Portage la Prairie, Man.—Reports received here from points south of the Assiniboine River in the Portage district record the first snow storm of the season.

At Oakville and other points south of the river, it began to snow during the night of Sept. 12 and when daylight came it showed two inches on the ground, a real winter day.

## B.C. To Lead Industrially

Will Soon Have Edge on the East in Opinion Given

Victoria, B.C.—Industrial development in Canada from now on will be concentrated on the coast of British Columbia, according to Major D. B. Marry, Deputy Minister of Industries, who has returned after investigating the industrial situation in the highly industrialized areas of Eastern Canada.

"The eastern industrialist realizes today that the Pacific Coast, British Columbia, is the logical place for industrial expansion because countries bordering on the Pacific will form Canada's greatest market in the future for manufactured goods," Major Marry said.

Certain forms of protection against fire losses existed among the Romans.

## Germany Is Willing To Give Guarantees To End Ruhr Dispute

Berlin.—Chancellor Stresemann, in an address today, declared: "We are ready to give real guarantees in order to secure freedom of the Ruhr."

He admitted that a solution of the problem could not be obtained by passive resistance.

Addressing a gathering of newspaper editors, the Chancellor, after reviewing the economic position, turned to foreign questions and said that without a solution of the foreign political dispute the financial situation could not be settled and the collapse of the mark could not be restrained.

A solution of the Ruhr dispute could not be achieved solely by continuance of passive resistance; nor could the question be settled by a policy of force.

"For us," continued the Chancellor, "the question of the sovereignty of the Rhineland and regaining the freedom of the Ruhr territory is decisive. For it, we are ready to give real guarantees. M. Poincaré, in a recent speech, said he preferred the positive securities which France had in hand to the finest theoretical rights. He did not intend to exchange pledges for general guarantees."

## ON WESTERN TOUR OF INSPECTION



E. W. BEATTY, PRESIDENT OF THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY

Discussing Canada's general economic condition on his arrival from the east on his annual inspection trip, E. W. Beatty, President of the Canadian Pacific Railway, said it was generally good on his annual inspection trip, though the psychology of the country was far from being normal.

"This is in part due to the doubt that the country's trade will realize in money returns the full expectations which we expected earlier in the year," Mr. Beatty said. "If the crop is turned into cash readily and at fair prices, distinct improvement should be noticed before the end of the year."

No final estimate of the crop had yet been made by the company's officers, Mr. Beatty said. There seemed to be a wide span between the estimates made by other authorities, but from the threatening returns coming

## What Will Attract Immigrants

To Offer Proper Inducements Is Solution of Problem

Montreal.—The solution to the immigration problem lies not in expensive propaganda by the Government and the transportation companies, but a general betterment of conditions here in Canada. S. W. L. Griffiths, until recently Deputy High Commissioner in London, declared.

Mr. Griffiths said that when immigrants here could write home and honestly say that living was cheaper and the employment situation good, then the immigration figures would increase to a very appreciable extent.

Succeeded Late Dr. Rutherford Ottawa.—Hon. Frank Oliver has been appointed to the Railway Commission in place of the late Dr. Rutherford. It is understood, however, that Mr. Oliver will not assume his duties for some time, pending the adjustment of some private business matters.

## Finnish Crop Failure

Helsinki.—Owing to inclement weather, the harvest in Northern Finland is a failure. The situation is serious and the Government is considering relief measures.

## WESTERN EDITORS



A. Z. JESSUP, Editor and Proprietor of The News, Nanton, Alta.

## Ask For Preservation Of Canadian Autonomy

Daughters of Canada Forwarding Letter to Premier King

Toronto.—The Daughters of Canada at a special meeting, endorsed the draft of a letter to be forwarded to Premier King which was in part as follows:

"The Daughters of Canada organized in 1919, realize that the coming Imperial conference is the most crucial one that has been held, one from which Canada will go forward to complete nationhood, or back to colonial status."

"Although there is no announced agenda of the conference we believe that the assistance of the Sister Nations in Imperial wars will be the chief topic for discussion."

"We submit that Canada has given more than enough assistance in wars which she has had no part in making; Canada requires her people at home for the development of her great resources."

"We view with concern the trend of affairs in Europe, and we note that hate is being whipped up that may lead to war between Great Britain and France; should Canada take part in such a war racial concord would become racial enmity—possibly to the extent of civil war in Canada."

"With one voice and all our power we beseech you to use your great influence to the preservation of Canadian autonomy in all vital matters, believing that thus only may our country be saved from colonial catastrophe."

## Help From Vatican

Rome.—Pope Pius has sent \$20,000 to the apostolic delegation in Washington for Japanese relief.

## Acres Signed Up Below Quota Necessary To Secure Wheat Pool

Regina.—With the termination of the wheat pool contract campaign in the province it was conceded by Geo. Robertson, publicity secretary of the pool, that the total acreage signed up will be considerably below the quota when all the contracts are in and counted up.

Mr. Robertson estimated that the final results would be between four and five million acres as compared with the 6,165,000 acres necessary to operate the pool under the conditions outlined when the campaign was initiated. This opinion was confirmed by other officials of the Saskatchewan Co-operative Wheat Producers Ltd.

Winnipeg.—Drafting of the contract for use by the Manitoba wheat pool organization next year is now complete. It was stated by W. R. Wood that the contract closely follows the five-year term contract adopted in Alberta and Saskatchewan, differing only in certain minor details.

Copies will be prepared in readiness for submission at meetings of the farmers' organizations in the fall in order that members may be well acquainted with the terms by the time the annual convention of the United Farmers of Manitoba is held.

James A. Richardson was elected president of the Winnipeg Grain Exchange at the annual meeting held here, succeeding John B. Craig. J. C. Gage and C. C. Fields were elected vice-presidents, and Dr. Robert Magill was re-elected secretary. In his address as retiring president, Mr. Craig pointed out that the past year was a difficult one for the grain trade. There was unrest among the farmers. The attempt to reorganize the wheat board which proved a failure and now the efforts to form contract pools all had a disturbing effect on the regular trade. Mr. Craig declared members must consider the interest of the public so that confidence in the present marketing system and in the integrity of the grain dealers may result. Economical and honest handling and marketing of grain must ever be matters of paramount importance in a country where grain raising is the basic industry.

## Italy Agrees To Evacuate Corfu Before End Of September

### Eskimos to Pay Penalty

Two Murderers Sentenced to be Hanged the Far North

Edmonton.—A special dispatch to The Bulletin from Fort McMurray says:

"At the Herschel Island detachment station of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, in the Arctic Ocean, two Eskimo murderers sentenced to death by Judge Lucien Dubuc will be hanged by the Government executioner on December 7. Another past native, also accused of murder, received a sentence of three years imprisonment."

The executioner, who went north with the judicial party from Edmonton, remained at Herschel Island, but will probably be brought to the "outside" by dog team via the Yukon and Alaska on the completion of his dread duties.

Ottawa.—The report from Fort McMurray that three Eskimos have been sentenced at the Herschel Island Royal Canadian Mounted Police station makes it clear that the law will be enforced on the death of Corporal Dook, of the R.C.M.P., and Otto Binder, a white trader.

It was stated at R.C.M.P. headquarters that some seven Eskimos were to be tried on charges connected with the deaths of Corporal Dook and Victoria Land in which a number of the natives had been slain. One Eskimo connected with the Kent Peninsula affray was arrested by Corporal Dook and taken to the Tree River station. Here he secured access to a rifle and shot and killed Corporal Dook, and then, in the same fashion, killed Otto Binder, manager of a Hudson's Bay trading post, who had been associated with the quarrel. It is regarded as certain that one of the Eskimos who has received sentence of death is this double murderer.

### Leipzig Is Bankrupt

Municipal Coffers of German City Are Empty

London.—The Daily Mail's Berlin correspondent says the city of Leipzig has declared itself bankrupt. The municipal coffers are empty and the city is unable to pay its employees. A delegation has been sent to Berlin to ask the central government to advance funds.

### Winnipeg—J. C. Gordon, for many years, one of the leading druggists of Western Canada, died suddenly, aged 70.

Paris.—The danger to the peace of Europe from the Italian occupation of Corfu ended when, after another difficult session, the Ambassadors' Council came to a full agreement. Italy finally consented to evacuate Corfu before the end of September.

It is understood they are to leave the island by September 27. It is also understood the council agreed that if on the date of evacuation, the inter-allied commission of inquiry reports that Greece has not done all possible to discover and punish the assassins of the Italian members of the Greco-Albanian boundary commission, the 50,000,000 lire deposited by the Greek Government shall be paid over to the Italian Government as reparations.

Up to almost the last moment the Italians insisted that the powers ought to take Premier Mussolini's words as to the evacuation, and leave it to him to fix the exact date after the reparations measures had been carried out.

The British ambassador insisted quite as strongly that public opinion throughout the world ought to be reassured by a definite arrangement that would put an end to the talk that Italy intended to remain in Corfu indefinitely. He asked that the Italian Premier choose a fixed date which would be early enough to set all speculation as to Italy's intentions at rest.

### Policies Are Exempt

London.—British insurance companies operating in Japan resolved unanimously at a recent meeting to adhere to the conditions common to all their policies, exempting the companies from liability for damages due to earthquakes or their consequences.

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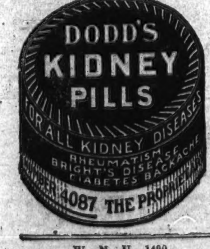
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The Presbytery of Medicine Hat puts itself on record as being in sympathy with the prohibition forces of the province and urges the members and adherents in the different congregations within its bounds to vote for Clause A in the referendum.

William D. McCracken, author, who died in New York on June 12th last, bequeathed his estate, \$100 to his wife and \$30,000 to the church. Big prospects that he will meet his dear wife hereafter (?)

A number of duckhunters were caused to appear before Magistrate Barker at Lethbridge for not carrying their licenses with them. The police confiscated their guns and birds, but the guns were later returned on an order from Edgerton. Several of the hunters paid fines of \$10 and costs for this first offence.

The Buchanan-Bewar whiskey manufacturers in England have increased their capital to \$42,500,000. The company is absorbing the Mackie & Co., distillers and proprietors of well-known brands of whiskey. We understand that Buchanan-Bewar Company are not financing the prohibition campaign in Alberta this time.

The attorney-general's department has decided not to appeal the decision in the case of the G. Trider, commercial traveller of Calgary, acquitted of the murder of Constable C. N. Paris, of the Drumheller police force, on May 2nd.

Arrangements are being made by the Methodist churches to observe Sunday, October 21st, as "Church Union" Sunday. On that day, all collections will go towards the special fund to defray the costs of organization and other expenses. It is hoped throughout Canada to raise \$75,000.

## Local and General Items

For funeral flowers phone 212, Crows' Nest Pass Undertaking Co.

Mrs. Fred Utley, of Bellevue, was a visitor here over the week end.

Do the best you can—that's about all the angels are doing nowadays.

Field Marshall Haig will unveil the Newfoundland war memorial on July 1st, 1924.

One advantage in embracing opportunity is that it doesn't leave any powder on your coat sleeve.

It is estimated that three-fourths of the useless conversations begin with the query "Gotta Match?"

Sandy Moore, a British Columbia boy scout, tips the scale at 300 lbs. on his sixteenth birthday.

No, sir, nobody knew anything of the booze cached under the Union church for a few days last week.

James Harris has been appointed chief of Lethbridge city police, succeeding the late Chief Bowker.

No great increase in drownings has resulted since the wheat pool controversy commenced.

The Japanese residents of British Columbia cabled \$70,000 towards the relief of earthquake sufferers in Japan.

The Ottawa Journal remarks: "Wheat is down in price, but we haven't heard anybody say it with flours."

Miss Agnes McPhail, M.P., was a visitor in Alberta last week. She is the only woman member of the Canadian parliament.

Mr. McDonald, scout for Frank Patrick's professional hockey team at Vancouver, was in Blairmore this week on business.

Counterfeit \$1000 bills are said to be in circulation, but so far we have not had the pleasure of giving change for any of such denomination.

We understood that the bar had been abolished for keeps, but notice now that R. B. Bennett, K.C., of Calgary, has been elected vice-president of the Canadian Bar Association.

At a big convention of Kiwanians at Moose Jaw, Rev. F. S. McCall, principal of Alberta College, North Edmonton, was elected district governor.

The charters of two locals of the U. M. W. of A., at Atlas and Midlandvale, have been revoked, because their members were on strike in violation of an agreement.

The fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the "Women's Christian Temperance Union" was celebrated by a jubilee convention at Columbus, Ohio, on September the 4th to 14th. Twelve hundred delegates attended.

Mr. E. W. Christie has been appointed probation officer at Bellevue and the choice is looked upon favorably. In future a curfew will be laid at 9 p.m. and general good order will prevail at Bellevue.

The Ontario Government will appropriate ten thousand dollars, under the supervision of the provincial treasurer's department, to assist Ontario war veterans in fighting their cases before the pensions appeal board at Ottawa.

A Coleman old timer was in town last week. He had never seen an automobile before, and when one came dashing up Victoria street and disappeared in a cloud of dust he remarked: "Well, the horses must 'a' bin goin' a good look when they got loose from that carriage!"

Pretty soon we'll see the preachers and bootleggers joined arm in arm, united in the great and glorious fight for prohibition. 'Twould take some money to prevent a bootlegger from voting dry and 'twould take nearly as much to cause a non-conformist preacher to vote wet.

A peach weighing ten ounces was grown on a tree near Ladner, B.C.

Paul J. Rainey, great African explorer, died and was buried at sea.

Pincher Creek school fair was held on Monday of this week.

Mrs. C. J. Bundy, of Cowley, was a visitor to this great city on Friday last.

The Ford Motor Company will spend seven million dollars in advertising during the next twelve months.

A dance will be given in the Union hall at Frank on the night of Friday, September the 28th. Music will be furnished by the Big Five Orchestra.

Noel Botter, of Medicine Hat, is visiting for a few days with his brother, A. C. Botter, of the Palm Cafe.

J. F. Miller, sight specialist, of Calgary, is at the Cosmopolitan hotel today. Dr. Miller hopes to arrange regular fortnightly visits to The Pass.

Failure of wheat pool delegates to return to Winnipeg caused people of that city to feel that they had lost their lives in that "treacherous" pool.

Hon. Frank Oliver, of Edmonton, has been appointed to succeed the late D. J. G. Rutherford as member of the railway commission.

We just read that in ancient times kissing a pretty girl was a cure for toothache. It is difficult to improve on some of those old-time remedies.

In Sicily a branch of the pomegranate tree is believed to have the power of revealing the whereabouts of hidden wealth.

The following warning issued to motorists has our support: "If you meet or overtake a chicken on the road, don't run over it. Give it a ride."

The initiatory degree will be conferred at the regular meeting of Blairmore Lodge No. 68, I.O.O.F., on Tuesday night next. A full attendance of members and visitors is requested.

It cost twelve million dollars in fines and three thousand years of penal periods to enforce the dry law in the United States for the first forty-one months of its operation. Official report shows that there has been a constant yearly increase in prosecutions.

A Yankee soldier while in England was being shown over an old church beneath whose floors there were many graves.

"A great many people sleep within these walls," said the guide solemnly, as he indicated the inscription covered floor.

"Is that so?" replied the Yankee. "Same way over in our country. Why don't you get a more interesting preacher?"

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Blue Ribbon Coffee, 1 lb tin ..... 50c  
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